

## Viet leadership is locked in struggle

SAIGON (AP) — President Tran Van Huong offered today to make Gen. Duong Van Minh premier but refused Minh's demand for the presidency, political sources reported.

Meanwhile, the North Vietnamese and the Viet Cong were apparently marking time on the battlefields, awaiting the outcome of the political maneuvering in Saigon. The South Vietnamese military command reported only scattered, small-scale action although Western intelligence sources said Communist-led forces had been in position to overrun the crowded city since Monday.

Minh, a retired general who led the 1963 coup that overthrew President Ngo Dinh Diem, sought the support of political, religious and military leaders in a series of meetings at his home. He refused

to comment to newsmen on the impasse except to say, "Time is short."

Premier Nguyen Ba Can and his cabinet resigned late Wednesday after only 11 days in office to pave the way for a new political setup. Foes of former President Nguyen Van Thieu were urging his 71-year-old successor to step out also so that Minh could form a new lineup that the Communists might agree to negotiate with.

Political sources said Huong and Minh met for more than two hours, and the 71-year-old president offered Minh the premiership "with full powers." But they said Huong insisted on keeping the presidency he succeeded to on Monday night when Thieu resigned.

Should Minh take over, his first action is expected to be a proposal for a cease-

fire and negotiations to form the coalition government with the Communists envisioned by the 1973 Paris peace agreement. However, the Viet Cong, which rejected such a proposal by Huong on Wednesday, has given no indication if it would deal with Minh.

In Washington, the U.S. House of Representatives met past midnight Wednesday to approve a bill authorizing \$327 million in humanitarian aid to South Vietnam and the limited use of U.S. troops to safeguard the evacuation of Americans and some South Vietnamese from Saigon. The Senate passed a similar bill earlier Wednesday.

The U.S. airlift of Americans and Vietnamese out of Saigon continued without letup, and officials in Washington said

1,887 U.S. citizens were still in the city Wednesday night.

The transshipment point on the route to the United States was moved from Clark Air Base in the Philippines to Andersen Air Base on Guam Wednesday. By this morning, 3,457 evacuees had arrived on Guam, another 6,000 were still at Clark waiting to be moved to Guam, and U.S. Air Force C141's and C130's kept up their round-the-clock shuttle out of Saigon.

The White House, the Pentagon and the U.S. Embassy in Saigon all denied a report in two Japanese newspapers that a U.S. Marine battalion had landed at Vung Tau, on the coast 40 miles southeast of Saigon, to protect the evacuation.



Happy reunion

Mrs. Douglas Echols of San Francisco sobbed with joy as she greeted her Vietnamese mother, Nguyen Thi Cu, right, after her arrival at Travis AFB, Calif., following a flight aboard a 747 jet from Manila. A total of 340 persons were evacuated from Vietnam aboard the flight. (AP Wirephoto)

## Ford could use force to help in Viet evacuation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Turning aside fears of new U.S. combat deaths, Congress early today voted to give President Ford authority to use American military forces if necessary to evacuate Vietnamese as well as Americans from South Vietnam.

Authority to use military forces was approved by the House in a \$327-million aid bill approved 230 to 187 this morning and by the Senate in a \$250-million aid bill approved 75 to 17 Wednesday.

House and Senate conferees are expected to begin work later today on a compromise.

President Ford had asked Congress to approve \$250 million in humanitarian aid for South Vietnam, authorize the use of U.S. troops to evacuate Americans and Vietnamese and vote \$722 million military aid.

By its actions, Congress approved the first two requests. But the chances of approving more military funds appear dim. Ford told reporters aboard Air Force One Wednesday night that he now was going to review the military aid request.

As Congress wound up its final debate on the bills, Ford was telling a cheering audience at Tulane University in New Orleans that the Vietnam war was over for the United States. The President said the time has come for a national reconciliation to heal the wounds and discords of the past decade and to build a better America for the future.

On both sides of the Capitol, opponents of the bills contended Congress was giving the President unlimited authority to use whatever U.S. forces he believes are needed at whatever risk.

"If we want a bloodbath in South Vietnam, the best way to do it is to send in U.S. troops to evacuate foreign nationals," Sen. Floyd K. Haskell, D-Colo., told the Senate.

In the House, Democratic Leader Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. of Massachusetts said his heart bleeds for any South Viet-

namese threatened with reprisals but said he wants no more U.S. soldiers killed there.

But other congressmen, including vocal foes of America's involvement in the Vietnam war, said the United States has a moral obligation to try to get endangered South Vietnamese out.

"It is a crack in the door, I grant you that," said Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, D-Minn. "But you've got to trust somebody. You can't run evacuation programs from the Congress."

Rep. Donald M. Fraser, D-Minn., said the lives of Vietnamese who sided with America are in danger and "we owe it to ourselves and to a sense of decency to permit efforts to get them out."

The House passed its bill at 2:40 a.m. today after a marathon 14-hour session. The bill's \$327 million includes \$150 million new money for evacuation efforts and humanitarian aid for South Vietnam, plus authority to spend \$177 million pre-

viously approved by Congress for humanitarian aid.

The Senate's \$250-million bill includes a \$100 million contingency fund for humanitarian aid and evacuation, and \$150 million for humanitarian projects in Cambodia as well as South Vietnam.

The Senate bill simply states that the President is authorized to use U.S. forces for evacuation of Americans and endangered South Vietnamese and their dependents under a strong of restrictions:

—The Americans and South Vietnamese must be under "direct and imminent threat" of being killed and diplomatic efforts must be made first to win their evacuation without force.

—U.S. forces used to evacuate South Vietnamese would be limited to those there to evacuate Americans and their dependents; they could not go into new areas for the South Vietnamese and could not be exposed to hostilities longer in order to get the Vietnamese out.

### Attention shift sought

## U.S. policy the same

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford's declaration that the war in Vietnam is over "as far as America is concerned" does not represent a major change in U.S. policy, White House Press Secretary Ron Nessen said today.

"What has changed is that the President is calling on people to shift their attention," Nessen said.

Nessen said that, in his speech Wednesday night at Tulane University in New Orleans, Ford was calling for a "shifting of focus or attention" from Vietnam to "get on with an agenda for the future."

Nessen denied a reporter's contention that the President might be "trying to have it both ways" on Vietnam. He said the President's words speak for themselves.

Nessen said there "is a complete sharing of views" between the President and Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger on the Vietnam issue.

Nessen also said Ford would still like Congress to appropriate military aid funds to help bring about a cease-fire or negotiated settlement.

After his speech Wednesday night, President Ford seemed like a man re-

### weather

Showers and possible thunderstorms likely again tonight. Winds southerly 10 to 15. Friday clearing, highs around 70. Precipitation probabilities tonight 70 per cent and Friday 20 per cent.

The temperature today was 67 at 7 a.m. and 68 at noon. Low Wednesday night was 51.

Lake of the Ozarks stage: 54.7; 5.3 feet below full reservoir. Sunset today will be at 6:58 p.m.; Sunrise Friday at 5:23 a.m.

### Inside

The concept of no-frill packaging undertaken by some producers has caused problems for some American consumers. Page 9.

Sedalia man discovers the finer points of knitting socks. Living Today, page 10.

One of Russia's top government leaders earns only about \$1,170 a month. Page 11.

## Embassy official in Germany is slain

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — Five terrorists took over the West German Embassy today, shot and killed the military attaché, and threatened to execute the ambassador and 10 other hostages unless 26 anarchists are released from West German jails, officials said.

West German television said it learned the terrorists also demanded that each prisoner, including the leaders of the Baader-Meinhof gang, be given \$20,000 before boarding a Lufthansa Boeing 707 at 9 p.m. — 4 p.m. EDT. This would amount to \$520,000.

Officials in Bonn, Germany, said the terrorists demanded that the prisoners be brought to Frankfurt, Germany and flown out by 1 a.m. Friday — 8 p.m. Thursday.

Police said the terrorists — three men and two women — killed the military attaché, Lt. Col. Andreas von Mirbach, 54, with four shots in the head and legs. He died in a Stockholm hospital five hours after he was hit, government sources said.

The Baader-Meinhof gang, which follows an anticapitalist line, has claimed responsibility for terrorist bombings that killed four GIs and injured more than 50 persons in 1972.

The gang is named after woman journalist Ulrike Meinhof, 40, and student radical Andreas Baader, 30. The leaders of the gang are scheduled to go on trial in Stuttgart next month.

First police reports said one person was killed when the terrorists opened fire with submachine guns and pistols in the office of Ambassador Dietrich

Stoecker, 60 and the father of four, but the police later said they had no knowledge of any casualties.

However, a woman and a man were seen carried to ambulances.

Officials said earlier that the terrorists had threatened to kill the German military attaché if the embassy building was not evacuated.

### Two armed robbers remain at large

Two armed men robbed Ramada Inn, 3501 West Broadway, of an estimated \$127 early Thursday morning and escaped without any apparent clues to their identity.

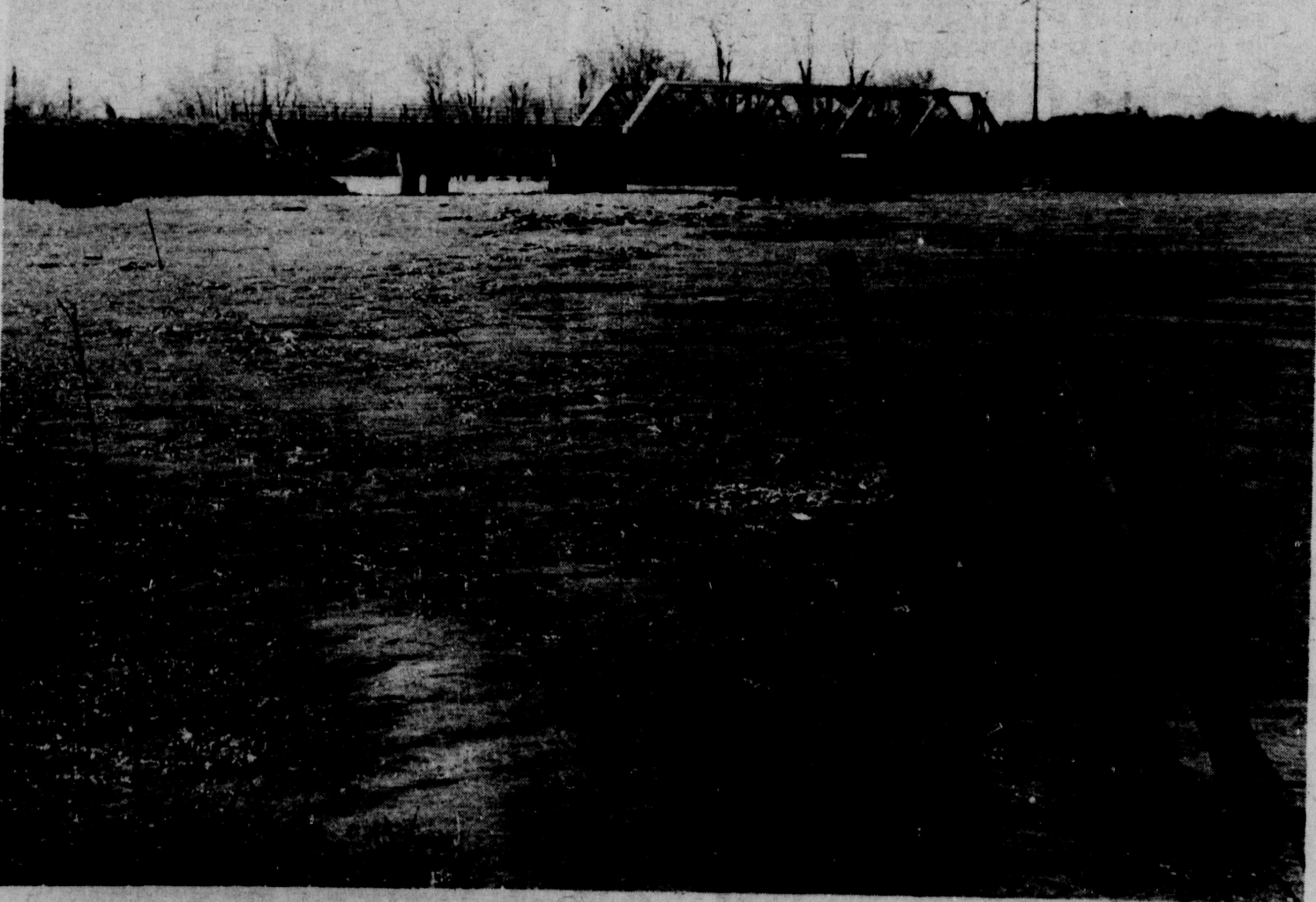
Police reported that Tim Fine, night desk clerk at the motel, told them the two men entered the building wearing masks, each with a revolver, shortly before 2 a.m. Thursday.

After demanding the money, the two then left by the front door. Fine told officers that he did not see a car leaving the parking lot but did see a late model car heading east on Broadway.

### BULLETIN

Three men robbed Uncle Jim's clothing store on East Second Street of an undetermined amount of cash shortly before 1:30 p.m. Thursday. All three reportedly ran northeast away from the store following the robbery.

It was reported that two employees at the business were struck in the face, and one of them was taken to Bothwell Hospital with facial injuries.



Result of a wet night

While most Sedalians slept early Thursday morning, more than two inches of rain fell on the city. Although other parts of Missouri suffered through more severe weather, Sedalia had only a very wet night. The heavy rain caused Flat Creek to overflow its banks and stop work on the new bridge on South Highway 65. (Democrat-Capitol Photo)

## Two killed by storms

BRECKENRIDGE, Mo. (AP) — Tornadoes left at least two dead and caused extensive property damage, and heavy thunderstorms that raked the northern portion of the state from border-to-border caused flash flooding.

Virgil Carter, about 70, who was deaf, was killed in a tornado that struck near Breckenridge, about 50 miles northeast of Kansas City late Wednesday. A Red Cross spokesman said Carter's home "was flattened and he was found in a pasture" about 200 yards from the residence.

Bertie Eckles, about 93, of the Macon area, died today as a result of injuries suffered when a tornado hit that area around dinner time.

Several persons received minor injuries in the Breckenridge area. The funnel bore down on a row of homes clustered along two city blocks, destroying about 10 of them and extensively damaging others.

A tornado was reported early today in a subdivision near Nixa, about six miles south of Springfield, and the roofs were blown off several houses.

An elderly woman suffered a broken leg when high winds overturned her trailer north of Nixa, the highway patrol said.

At Springfield this morning, a half inch of rain was recorded in 10 minutes during a thunderstorm that carried winds of 40 to 50 miles an hour and half-inch hail.

Cleo Johnson, a Breckenridge man in his 50s whose home was leveled by the tornado there, said in the aftermath: "Nothing. I haven't got nothing."

Heavy rains of more than 5 inches in a period of less than 12 hours caused considerable flooding. Officials said residents of low-lying areas at Tracy and Smithville on the western edge of Missouri, and resident of Foley, Winfield and East Winfield on the northeast edge, were forced from their homes.

A number of roads were closed including a 30-mile stretch of Missouri 79 from Elsberry south to O'Fallon in eastern Missouri.

A Burlington Northern freight derailed early today blocking the south entrances to Winfield. The derailment was caused

by the heavy rains washing out the roadbed. No one was injured.

Mrs. Eugene Glick of Breckenridge, still shaken by her experience, said "I don't know how to explain it. It was the most awful feeling. I didn't know what to do."

She recalled hearing the tornado, grabbing her small granddaughter and dashing out the back door. The tornado apparently lifted over her home but caused considerable damage. Her granddaughter suffered a cut on a leg.

A twister dropped to the ground near Brookfield, about 50 miles east of Breckenridge, and a family of eight was briefly trapped in the basement of their home. They were freed unhurt.

About 15 homes, a chicken hatchery, auto agency and a drive-in restaurant were damaged near Brookfield. At least two were known injured.

The tornado that hit the Macon-Shelby County area demolished at least 18 homes and damaged many others. At

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The roll call report

Education programs get boost



New accusation

Sen. Frank Church, right, D-Idaho, chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Activities, accuses the White House of holding up documents, requested by the committee as he briefs newsmen on Capitol Hill. Church said many of the documents were related to CIA activities. At left is Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., a member of the committee.

(AP Wirephoto)

TWA executive says firm continuing to lose money

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Trans World Airlines stockholders have been advised by F. C. Wiser, president, the company's losses reached \$73.3 million in the first quarter of 1975 and "we appear not to have found the bottom yet."

Wiser and Charles C. Tillinghast Jr., board chairman, reported to the stockholders at their annual meeting here Wednesday that another 500 employees are being furloughed. The company already had laid off 1,000 of its 35,000 employees.

TWA's net corporate loss in 1974 was \$23.6 million. "During the first quarter domestic traffic was 11 per cent below the forecast and international was more than 5 per cent below that forecast for the airlines companies," Wiser said.

The two officials blamed the massive losses to increasing fuel costs, inflation and the declining world economy. Among other steps being taken to stem the losses, Tillinghast said, are the sale of six aircraft to Iran, route exchange agreements with Pan American World Airways, application for discount fares for youths, a new marketing program and salary cuts for company officers.

"I, for example, will earn less than I did 10 years ago," said Tillinghast, who is scheduled to retire in January.

The board chairman also said savings of \$60,000 are anticipated as a result of a vote by company directors to bypass their fees for attending meetings.

At one point of the meeting TWA management was charged with neglecting employee morale by Don Brown, a TWA pilot who identified himself as a stockholder. Brown, chairman of TWA Council 3 and vice chairman of the Air Line Pilots Association here, read a statement that said, in part:

"Employees are deeply concerned at being led to the brink of disaster with apparent disregard displayed time and again at a high level... We are tired of seeing ourselves and fellow employees demoted or laid off when nothing happens to those that caused our problems."

Tillinghast criticized the Department of Transportation for advocating fare reductions and was critical of portions of Pres-

ident Ford's energy proposals—notably new import fees and taxes on fuel and of the airline industry.

"The theorists espousing deregulation talk about free entry and free exit into markets (that) would result in a chaotic situation for the airline industry and the public it serves," he said.

The board approved a proposal to issue 1.2 million units for its employee stock purchase plan and to increase by 300,000 shares stock available for its thrift plan for noncontract employees.

By Roll Call Report  
WASHINGTON — Here's how area House members were recorded on major roll call votes April 10 through April 16. There were no Senate votes.

**HOUSE**  
**EDUCATION** — Adopted, 259 for and 143 against, an amendment to increase fiscal 1976 appropriations for several education programs by \$487.5 million. Included are programs involving disadvantaged and handicapped students, bilingual education, court-ordered desegregation, vocational training, land grant colleges and their students, and school libraries.

The amendment was attached to a Department of Health, Education and Welfare appropriations bill (HR 5901) for fiscal 1976. HR 5901, with a price tag of \$7.8 billion, was subsequently passed and sent to the Senate.

Supporters said higher funding levels were needed to assure "quality" education for all. Rep. Edward Roybal (D-Cal.), a sponsor, said, "Education services are experiencing reductions due to dwindling state financing at the precise moment that courts are imposing new requirements..." Rep. Herbert Harris (D-Va.) said, "Our school budgets are being stretched to their limits because of zooming utility and other energy costs."

Opponents said the "financial climate" requires sacrifices, even in high-priority spending areas such as education. Rep. Margaret Heckler (R-Mass.) said the "amended bill, resulting in an increase of \$1.5 billion over the (Administration's) budget request, goes too far." Rep. Daniel Flood (D-Pa.) said the admirable objectives contained in "these heart-twisting and heart-rending programs" did nothing to lessen the \$73 billion federal deficit.

Rep. William Randall voted yes. Rep. Richard Ichord voted no.

**COED INTEGRATION** — Adopted, 253 for and 145 against, an amendment to preserve the legal basis for federal funding of institutions which operate single-sex activities such as sororities, fraternities, scouts and physical education classes. It was attached to an appropriations bill (HR 5901, above) which provides fiscal 1976 funding for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

The amendment specifically prohibits using HEW funds to promote sexual integration of youth organizations, and would prevent HEW from withholding funds because an organization maintains a single-sex orientation.

Rep. Bob Casey (D-Tex.), the sponsor, said local school districts should not be subjected to HEW orders to "integrate the physical education classes" on one hand and maintain "separate toilet facilities" on the other. He said the amendment would not diminish equal opportunity for females.

One opponent, Rep. Bella Abzug (D-N.Y.), said the amendment was "backward" and contrary to the new federal law prohibiting federal funding of educational programs which discriminate "against girls and young women who have a right to receive an equal amount of funds, an equal amount of facilities and an equal opportunity to develop their physical education."

Randall voted yes. Ichord did not vote.

**HOMES** — Passed, 321 for and 21 against, a bill (HR 5398) to provide federal loans of up to \$250 per month, for as long as two years, to help homeowners meet their mortgage payments

and thus avoid foreclosure. The Department of Housing and Urban Development would be authorized to loan a total of \$500 million to an estimated 300,000 homeowners who are either underemployed or unemployed as a result of the recession. New loans cannot be made after June 30, 1976. A bill similar to HR 5398 is pending in the Senate.

Supporters said anti-recession legislation passed earlier in the year to stimulate construction and purchase of new homes would be ineffective unless Congress also acts to protect current homeowners. Rep. Garry Brown (R-Mich.) cautioned that the measure, though justified, was no "panacea," adding that "one one thing that is best for the fellow who has to make mortgage payments is to have a sound economy where he has a job..."

Opponents said that because the bill lacks administrative guidelines it leaves too much to

the discretion of HUD. Rep. John Rousselot (R-Cal.) said "a new and terribly costly bureaucracy may be required" to determine on a "case-by-case basis" who is eligible for a loan, how much money he should receive, and whether his plight is legitimate.

Randall voted yes. Ichord did not vote.

**HOUSE CONDUCT** — Adopted, 360 for and 37 against, a resolution (H Res 46) regarding the treatment of House members who have pleaded guilty to, or have been convicted of, a crime punishable by at least two years in jail. The resolution, which recommends rather than requires penalties, directs members to abstain from voting in committee and on the House floor. It does not discourage non-voting participation and would not affect a member's salary. To regain his or her voice, an affected member would have to be reelected or

found innocent in the appellate process. H Res 46 amends the House Code of Official Conduct. It does not go to the Senate.

Supporters said the resolution would promote "public confidence" in Congress. Rep. John Flynt (D-Ga.) said "a more severe procedure while the appeals process is pending would not be appropriate, since a reversal of the original conviction would reinstate presumption of innocence."

One opponent, Rep. Fortney Stark (D-Cal.), said the resolution would be "ineffective and possibly unconstitutional." He said, "The House has the power both to censure and expel. It also has the power to urge members to resign. In such a case, a vacancy would occur and a special election should be held—in the shortest possible time... so the people would be given the critical representation to which they are entitled."

Randall and Ichord voted yes.

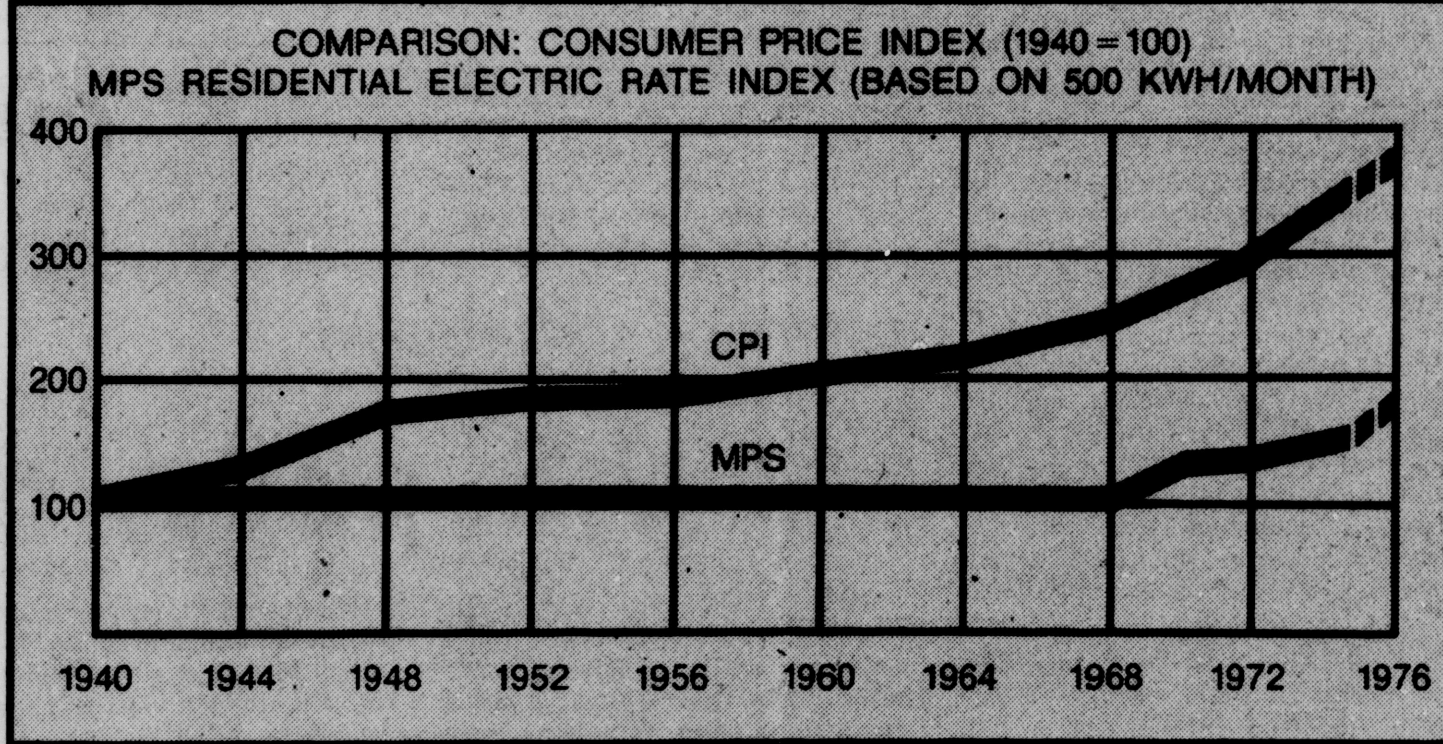
Local radio station wins in contest

(Democrat Capital Service)  
COLUMBIA — Local radio station KSIS won first place in the commercial entry category. It was announced here Wednesday night at the sixth annual awards program sponsored by the Missouri Broadcasters Association (MBA). Judges for this year's MBA awards were members of the Iowa Broadcasters Association. The event was held in conjunction with journalism week, sponsored by the University of Missouri School of Journalism.

Gen. Anthony Wayne was nicknamed "Mad Anthony" because of his reckless heroism during the Revolutionary War.

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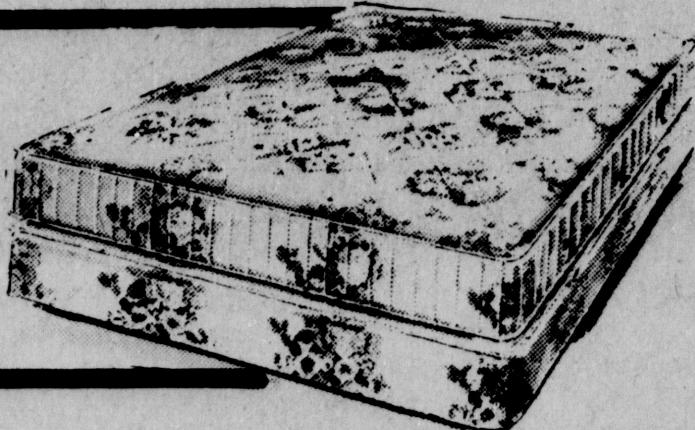
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# Call for talks sounds familiar

An AP News Analysis  
By WILLIAM L. RYAN  
AP Special Correspondent

Calls in France, the United States and elsewhere for talks on "implementation of the 1973 Paris agreements" on Vietnam have an eerie sound of unreality, now that those agreements are in shambles.

The Viet Cong's Provisional Revolutionary Government—PRG—man in Paris indicates it's ready to negotiate. Indeed, on the basis of the terms it lays down, it is probably eager.

France, the original source of American woes in Indochina, has been campaigning for talks based on the 1973 accords, the suggestion seeming to be that the agreements would be implemented by observance of the

article calling for a "National Council of Reconciliation and Concord."

The article stipulated a council of three equal segments representing the Saigon government, neutrals and the PRG side. Hypothetically there could be talks based on that article now, but actually that would be little more than a cosmetic exercise.

The PRG is saying now nothing different from what it said since its birth in 1969 as a vehicle for supporting a Viet Cong claim to legitimacy. What did the PRG demand then and what now?

It demanded and demands complete departure of the Americans from the scene, which is just about accom-

plished, and the replacement of the "Nguyen Van Thieu clique."

President Thieu is gone, but the PRG-North-Vietnamese attacks on his successor show clearly a claim to the right to say just what persons make up that "clique." Whatever southerners might now be acceptable as representatives of a Saigon regime and neutrals would negotiate in a capital surrounded by victorious North Vietnamese and Viet Cong and be looking down the barrels of Soviet weapons.

What's left of those 1973 accords for which the two principal negotiators, Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger and North Vietnamese Politburo member Le Duc Tho, were awarded Nobel Peace prizes?

Not much but shreds of paper.

The four parties to the accords — Americans, North Vietnamese, South Vietnamese and Viet Cong — agreed in 1973 to halt all acts of force on ground or sea or in the air and forego all hostile acts of terror and reprisal.

The two sides in the South were to accept no introduction of troops, military advisers, armaments or war materiel except a one-for-one replacement of destroyed or damaged materiel.

The two sides in the South were to consult "in a spirit of national reconciliation and concord" and set up the Reconciliation Council of equal segments to operate on the principle of unanimity. That was to have been done in 90 days, so it's now two years overdue. In any case, the "unanimity principle" probably would have paralyzed it as it has so often paralyzed the United Nations Security Council.

Reunification of Vietnam was to be carried out "step by step" by peaceful means and without coercion. Both sides were to respect the Demilitarized Zone between North and South.

Violations were innumerable and blatantly conspicuous. Now what's left of South Vietnam faces a set of faits accomplis.

Early in May comes the 21st anniversary of Dien Bien Phu, where North Vietnam's Ho Chi Minh defeated France after seven bloody years of war.

Now, after almost 30 years of fighting, would Hanoi be likely to surrender the long-sought fruits of it all? If there is hope for negotiation on the basis of the 1973 accords, why the almost panicky evacuation of South Vietnam by Americans, in such an atmosphere of hopelessness?

There has been a slowdown in the North Vietnamese-Viet Cong attack on Saigon, but that followed a predictable pattern and suggested a will to make the victory look a bit less than naked military conquest.

Perhaps there will be talks, perhaps even an agreement, but it most likely would be the agreement wanted by Hanoi, which holds all the initiative. Hanoi has said all along there must be only one, unified Vietnam and has made clear who it thinks should rule it.



Chow time

Marguerite Anderson, center, and two of her children, Becky 9, and Tom, 14, feed three of the 30 Holstein calves Mrs. Anderson raised for a neighboring dairy farmer. The nursery arrangement was suggested by a veterinarian who considers raising calves an art that Mrs. Anderson is good at. (AP Wirephoto)

## Vietnamese reactions are contradictory

By SETH MYDANS  
Associated Press Writer

Some South Vietnamese living in the United States are fearful for the safety of their families and friends, exultant at the collapse of the Thieu government, bitter that the United States will help no longer and angry that the United States supported the war so long.

These mixed and contradictory reactions emerged from Associated Press interviews with a sampling of the 30,000 South Vietnamese in this country.

All agreed, as they watched events unfold in their native land, that the future holds only uncertainty.

"Every day I am worrying, thinking what is going on in my home town — afraid, afraid," said Nguyen Quan, a 20-year-old student living in Lewiston, Maine. "I have parents in Saigon and my sister and uncle in Da Nang, and we haven't heard from them in a month."

None of the Vietnamese here can be sure that they will ever see their families or homes again.

"I have not been home for four years, and I really think now I might never see Saigon again," said Vu Lan, a 22-year-old student in Carbondale, Ill.

He said some Vietnamese he has talked to are determined to return even if it means death. Others say: "I must stay here and try to survive as the last member of my family."

He said his presence in the United States itself endangers his family.

"My father is a teacher in a Saigon high school," Vu Lan said. "For sure he will be in danger because I am right now in this country to get a western education."

Miss Nguyen, a resident of Washington, D.C., asked that her full name not be used to protect her relatives in Saigon.

"It's pretty naive to believe that things will settle down without a bloodbath, and I mean a terrible bloodbath," she said.

But Nguyen Hoi Chan, a teacher in Cambridge, Mass., disagreed.

"Sooner or later Vietnam has to go back to the Vietnamese and be independent," she said. "This is what's happening right now. And it is perhaps happening in a much easier, less bloody way because the Thieu government is not fighting."

"Once a political solution is arrived at, we will feel perfectly safe about returning there," she said. "Right now, the greatest danger for every Vietnamese family is for the war to continue."

Nguyen Thi Ngoc Thoa, who brought war-wounded students to the United States seven years ago and stayed to edit a Vietnamese paper here, doubts that her relatives will be in danger.

## Lottery can save money

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — If you're already looking ahead to next year's income tax, save your old Illinois lottery tickets. The federal government says losing tickets may be used for a tax deduction.

The Internal Revenue Service also knows the tickets can be used for fraud. So if you have tickets by the bundle expect someone to come looking over your shoulder.

"We can't outguess the people who want to do something about getting around the law," said Frank Bryson, a spokesman for the IRS Springfield District.

But Bryson said, "If somebody came in with a sackful of lottery tickets and he only made \$5,000 normal income during the year, it would be questioned as to whether he bought all those lottery tickets."

The Illinois lottery began last summer, so the opportunity for fraud began with tax returns due last April 15.

"I don't know that there's any indication that it's going to be a problem specifically," said

Bryson. "But it has a potential of showing up on Illinois returns this year for the first year."

Federal tax instructions say anyone itemizing deductions can deduct his gambling losses during the year. But you can deduct only up to the amount you won.

Bryson interprets this to mean total winnings and losses, not broken down by the kind of game played.

For example, you win \$1,000 at the racetrack. You also buy \$200 worth of state lottery tickets and win nothing in the lottery. As Bryson interprets it, you can use the \$200 lottery expense as a deduction against the \$1,000 racetrack winnings.

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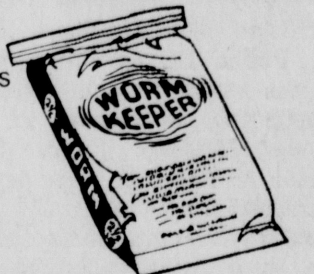
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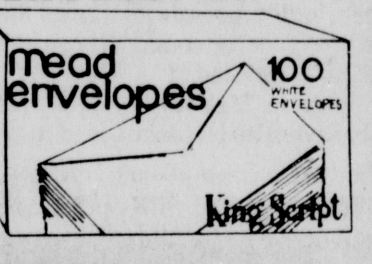
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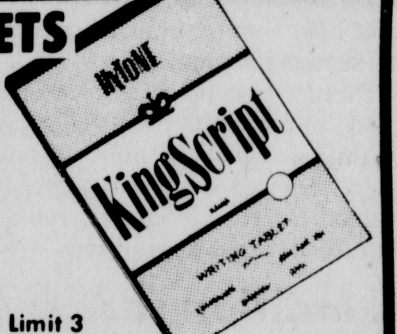
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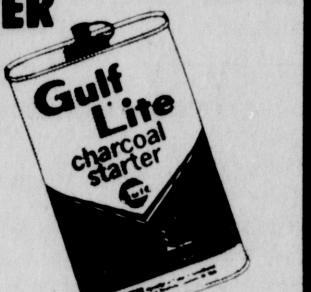
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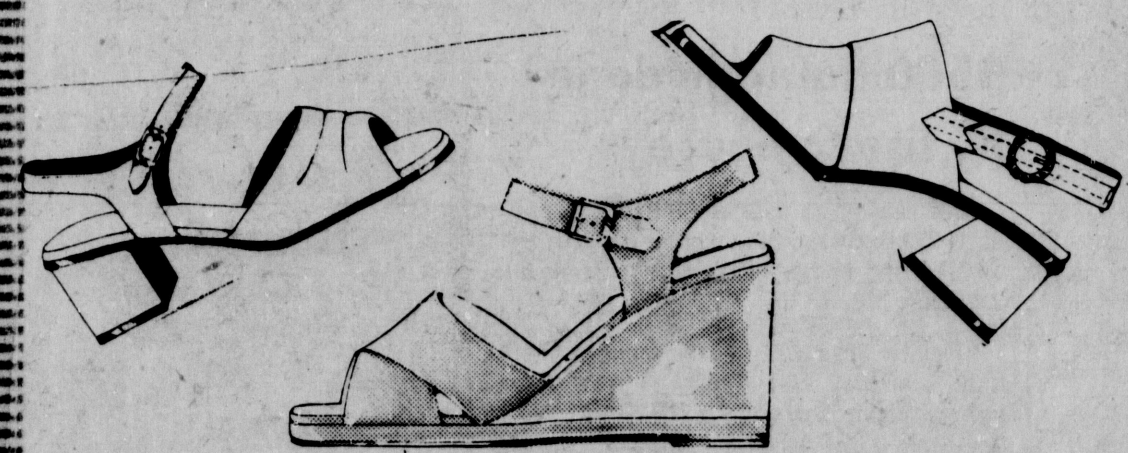
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## DEATH NOTICES

### Glen Martin Crockett

KAHOKA, Mo. — Glen Martin Crockett, 65, died Wednesday afternoon at the Blessing Hospital, Quincy, Ill., as the result of an automobile accident.

He was born in Unionville, Aug. 27, 1909, son of the late George McClellan and Luella Johnston Crockett. He married Melrose Gross in Unionville.

Mr. Crockett owned and operated the Crockett Cleaners in Kahoka. He served in the Missouri Legislature in the House of Representatives and served as mayor Kahoka. He was president of the school board many years and was an elder in the Presbyterian Church. He was also very active in the Masonic bodies.

Mr. Crockett is survived by his wife, Melrose Crockett, Kahoka; five daughters, Mrs. Patsy Mitchell, Kahoka; Mrs. Glenda Gamby, Slater; Linda Lou and Sandra Sue Crockett, Kahoka; Betty Crockett, Kahoka; two sons, David Crockett, Grand Rapids, Mich.; George Crockett, Kahoka; two sisters, Mrs. Celia Kunkel, Smithville; Mrs. Del (Stella) Heckart, 3102 Skyline Drive, Sedalia; two brothers, Guy Crockett, Newton, Iowa; George Crockett, Las Vegas, Nev.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Presbyterian Church, Kahoka.

Burial will be in the City Cemetery, Unionville.

### Five MPSC officials to testify

(Democrat-Capital Service)

Walter Savio, district manager for the Missouri Public Service Co. office in Sedalia, was among five employees to be issued subpoenas Wednesday to testify before the Missouri Public Service Commission on improper wage payments by the company.

Leland Curtis, commission attorney, said the five were being called to testify Monday on reimbursement to company employees for political contributions.

Subpoenas also were issued to Richard Green, utility president; James Stephens, vice president for community services; and William Seizer and M. A. Pharr, officers of the Western Missouri Good Government Club. Savio also is a member of the club.

The commission has charged the Public Service Co. with operating a fund to provide contributions for candidates through a club. The commission has charged the company gave club members 1 per cent merit increase as a reimbursement for contributions.

The decision to issue subpoenas was made in a meeting of attorneys for the commission and the utility in Missouri Public Service Co.'s request for a \$10.5 million increase in electric rates and a \$947,169 increase in gas rates.

### Condition serious following accident

Mark Furnell, 19, Route 2, was listed in serious condition in the intensive care unit at Bothwell Hospital Thursday morning following a one-car accident about 12:30 a.m. on Route M near Southern Hills.

According to the Highway Patrol, Furnell was southbound on Route M, formerly Route C, and his car went off the pavement on the left side, jumped a ditch and overturned.

Furnell reportedly sustained a collapsed lung and numerous lacerations in the mishap.

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## Republican wins his election by one vote

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A Missouri House committee has found that Republican John Hoffman has won a contested state representative seat near Springfield by one vote.

But the House Elections Committee Wednesday night delayed sending a recommendation to the full House that Hoffman be declared the winner.

Meanwhile, a House-Senate conference committee on a \$35 million emergency funding bill also delayed bargaining after members criticized Gov. Christopher S. Bond on a \$1.2 million prenatal care program.

The elections panel found Hoffman the victor over Democratic challenger Harry Blackwell after examining each of 23 contested ballots. An earlier recount conducted by the committee found the election a draw at 4,791 votes apiece.

Blackwell had served two terms in the legislature through 1970 before trying to regain his seat in last November's election, which Hoffman won by five votes ousting incumbent Republican Wayne Groner.

Before voting on the 23 ballots, committee chairman Vic Downing warned the heavily Democratic panel not to vote along party lines. "If we do, we're going to be crucified," the Bragg City Democrat said.

Rep. Larry Mead, R-Columbia, urged the committee to request Gov. Christopher S. Bond to call another election for the seat which covers part of Polk and Greene counties.

But Downing said the committee ought to endorse as winner whichever candidate gets the most votes. "Any decision we make is going to be criticized," he said.

### Vietnamese are fleeing to island

AGANA, Guam (AP) An unprecedented shuttle of military and commercial jetliners is carrying thousands of Vietnamese fleeing Communist-threatened Saigon to this U.S. island territory in the Pacific.

The evacuees, some with children in their arms, began descending Wednesday from the jets at Andersen Air Force Base. The first arrivals were housed in a barracks complex known as "tin city."

By this morning, 3,457 evacuees had arrived and local officials said they had been told by the U.S. State Department to expect 5,000 a day until 50,000 are on Guam.

This 210-square-mile island 2,500 miles from Vietnam has a normal population of 110,000.

Some of the evacuees destined for Guam had been taken first to Clark Air Base in the Philippines, where early monsoon rains had turned a tent city into a sea of mud.

One C141 left Clark for Guam with 203 evacuees sitting on carpeting laid on the stripped-down decks — double the load the plane had carried earlier this week from Saigon to Clark.

Clark has been terminated as a way-stop for the evacuees, with Guam now designated as their first U.S. landfall. Military authorities said plans are under way to use other Pacific islands where the U.S. has bases for evacuee way-stops.

The switch from Clark was ordered to relieve crowded housing at the Luzon Island base and to ease pressure on U.S.-Philippine relations. President Ferdinand Marcos' government was concerned about U.S. use of Clark as an evacuee stop for South Vietnamese refugees at a time when the Filipinos were reassessing their relations with the United States and the Communist-led forces in Indochina.

In Washington, military sources said the Pentagon has been told to plan for the evacuation of up to 175,000 Vietnamese citizens who are believed to be on Communist "bloodlists."

The sources said the massive airlift was building into one of the largest movements of refugees ever undertaken.

voice vote in its 12th day of debate. But Senate Democratic Floor Leader Lawrence Lee of St. Louis and several other senators opposed the proposal.

Payne's gun control amendment would have banned the manufacture, sale, ownership and use of weapons, with the exception of police officers and military personnel. Those convicted of owning or selling weapons could be punished by 20-year sentences, and any person convicted of a felony which was committed using a firearm could be punished by death.

Lexington Democrat Ike Skelton, who sponsored the 299-page revision of criminal laws, said Payne's amendment was unconstitutional because it infringed on an individual's right to bear arms.

The criminal code revision still faces final passage in the Senate before moving to the House.

The so-called "big truck bill" raises the weight ceiling on trucks from 73,250

The committee examined all 23 contested ballots before voting on them individually. The net effect of its action was to reduce Blackwell's total by two votes and Hoffman's by only one. That left the tally at Hoffman with 4,790 and Blackwell with 4,789.

Some ballots were smudged or had more than one mark on them. One ballot had an ink pen mark and a pencil mark on it.

"We have no way of knowing whether the voter or someone else made the mark," Butts said.

Cedar Hill Democrat Robert McIntyre agreed. He urged that each of the 23 voters be subpoenaed before the committee to testify how he intended to vote.

"It's ridiculous for us to second-guess the intention of each voter," McIntyre said.

But Downing said voters on the secret ballots should be "protected" from being identified.

The appropriations conference committee renewed the increasingly bitter struggle between the governor and the legislature over the prenatal care program. The program, which was passed last year but never funded, is aimed at curing mental retardation among newborn infants.

The governor signed the bill but hasn't gotten approval from the legislature on how the program would be operated. The measure required such approval in advance.

"He is an out and out lawbreaker," Sen. Richard Webster, R-Carthage, said of Bond. "I don't think he ought to be playing with lives of babies."

The House voted \$1.27 million for the program, but the Senate only approved \$1.

The House and Senate five-man conference teams also couldn't agree on how much money to appropriate for the proposed new prison sites near St. Louis and Kansas City.

The House is seeking \$500,000 to purchase two 100-acre sites, but the Senate has approved only \$10,000. Senators said prison officials should get site approval from the legislature before buying the land.

House Appropriations Chairman James "Jay" Russell said the site selections should be left up to prison officials in order that the site locations don't become "a political football."

### Innocent plea is changed to guilty by Sedalia man

Burl Allen Brown, 18, 1017 South Massachusetts, pleaded guilty in Pettis County Circuit Court Thursday morning to charges of second degree burglary and stealing.

A jury trial originally scheduled for Brown on Thursday was cancelled after it became known that Brown wished to withdraw his previous plea of not guilty.

Brown was charged with stealing more than \$275 in coins from the office of Dr. Floyd L. Lively, 620 South Osage, on Dec. 1. He was arrested by Sedalia police the next day after allegedly trying to exchange the coins at a Sedalia restaurant.

In accordance with plea bargaining in the case, Prosecuting Attorney Gary Fleming recommended that Brown be sentenced to two, two-year concurrent terms in custody of the State Department of Corrections and made no recommendation on probation.

Judge Frank Meyer deferred sentencing, pending completion of a pre-sentence investigation, to 1:30 p.m. on May 19.

Brown is being held in the county jail while awaiting sentencing.

### Franzen Circus to visit Whiteman

WHITEMAN AFB — The Franzen Brothers Circus will present shows Thursday and Friday here. Three performances are scheduled at 4, 6 and 8 p.m. each day.

The circus features a variety of performers including elephants, a lion tamer, clowns and a high wire act. It is open to the public. Tickets can be purchased at the Whiteman AFB gate.

to 80,000 pounds and the length from 55 feet to 60 feet. The cost of license fees for the trucks would be hiked 10 per cent.

Senate Democrat William Waters of Liberty, who has urged a 20 per cent hike in fees, accused the trucking industry of "taking a selfish position."

The Teamsters, a truck drivers' union, has opposed the bigger trucks, saying they would be less controllable. The Highway Department has also opposed the bill, claiming the bigger trucks would greatly increase road maintenance costs.

But the bill's sponsor, Sen. Jack Gant of Independence, said truck operators pay 40 per cent of the cost of maintaining the state's highways. The increased size would save fuel and offset the ill effects of the 55 mile an hour speed limit on the trucking industry, he noted.

The measure, which includes an emergency clause to make it effective when signed by the governor, passed 24-7.

## DAILY RECORD

### Bothwell Hospital

#### Dismissals

Miss Shelly Ann Hodges, Stover; Mrs. Ted Allen, Marshall; Larry W. Steding, Nelson; Mrs. Fred Miller, 1816 West 11th; Mrs. David Simmons and daughter, 316 West 11th; Glenn B. Thornton, Route 6; Mrs. Donald Wyatt, Marshall; Miss Rosie Ann Rowlette, 220 East 26th; Mrs. Don Braden, 2612 Plaza; Leo M. Anderson, Windsor; David B. Williams, Hughesville; Mrs. Jack Howell and daughter, 2003 South Moniteau; Mrs. Rickey Hall and son, 1530 Honeysuckle; Ralph N. Crawford, LaMonte; Mrs. Robert Edmonds, 2413 South Stewart; Mrs. Augusta Rowlette, 1606 West Ninth; Clarence E. Sallee, LaMonte; Arthur Gilmore, 201 East 13th; Bernard J. Penn, 420 West Morgan; Mrs. Nora E. Kabler, 1006 East Sixth.



### Two killed

(Continued from Page 1)

least six persons were injured, one, Eckles, fatally.

Hail also did some damage during the night in the downtown area of Macon.

Damage was also reported from a tornado at Spalding, southwest of Hannibal.

The heavy rain caused numerous highway closings in areas with small streams that rose rapidly out of their banks during the heavy rain. The streams were receding by mid-morning today.

The National Weather Service said the Mississippi River was rising rapidly and was expected to top the flood stage from Louisiana, Mo., to Grafton, Ill., in the next day or two. No major problems were anticipated.

The weather service said more than 4 inches of rain fell in a 24-hour period at Kansas City International Airport and nearly 5 inches fell at Hannibal in west-central Missouri. St. Louis and Columbia had more than 2 inches of rain.

A flash flood watch was in effect for the central and southcentral parts of the state today, and the weather service said there was a chance of showers and thunderstorms today.

The rain was expected to end in the northwest tonight and in the southeast part of the state Friday.

The extended weather outlook called for rain Saturday and Sunday.

High temperatures today were expected to range from near 70 in the north to around 80 in the south, with lows tonight in the 50s and highs Friday from 65 to 75. The outlook for Saturday through Monday called for highs from 80 to 85 Saturday and in the 60s Sunday and Monday.

Highs in Missouri Wednesday ranged from 83 at St. Joseph to 72 at St. Louis. Lows ranged from 55 at St. Joseph, Springfield and Monett to 68 at Cape Girardeau.

### Parents now must find 5 new names

CINCINNATI, Ohio (AP) — Mark and Pamela Levy now face the job of finding names for their three girls and two boys, newborn quintuplets who are reported doing fine at Cincinnati General Hospital.

"We went through a whole list of names," said the Brooklyn, N.Y. native, "but we haven't decided on them all."

Levy, 27, works at Procter & Gamble. His wife, 28, was a junior high school counselor in the Wyoming, Ohio, school district.

"The only thing that concerns me now is that I want my family to be able to rest," said Levy who has not allowed pictures of his wife or the quintuplets.

He said he expects things at home to be "tight" the first year. The couple, who had expected triplets, lives in a three-bedroom condominium in Fairfield, Ohio, 20 miles north of here.

The children, born Tuesday, are their first.

"Three of them have dark hair and two of them have red hair and they're all cute as can be," gushed an attending nurse.

"They are active, vigorous and breathing well," said Dr. Irwin Light.

Dr. Allen Shade, a researcher in fertility drugs as well as head of the maternity unit at the hospital, called it "the wildest two minutes of my life," referring to the caesarian section births.

### \$500 damage done by fire to house

Fire caused an estimated \$500 damage early Thursday morning when a natural gas leak ignited in the home of Max Raines, 2305 East 12th.

Firemen were called to the scene at 1:56 a.m. Thursday and found a small fire behind the kitchen stove in the house. The fire ignited the wall and window frame behind the stove. Damage to the building was estimated at \$250, with \$250 to the contents.

#### Births

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sherman, 305 North Summitt, at 10:42 p.m. Wednesday at Bothwell Hospital. Weight, 7 pounds, 1½ ounces.

Son, to Mr. and Mrs. Randall Lankford, Warrensburg, at 12:46 p.m. Wednesday at Bothwell Hospital. Weight, 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

Daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vit, 2211 South Kentucky, at 5:37 p.m. Wednesday at Bothwell Hospital. Weight, 8 pounds, 5 ounces.

#### Divorces

The following divorces were granted in Pettis County Circuit Court Monday: Susan M. Estes and Robert L. Estes; Barbara Jena English and Peter F. Engler; Martha L. DeLozier and Carl C. DeLozier; JoAnn M. Grother and Charles T. Grother; Karin Padgett and Steven Padgett; Debra Ann White and Paul William White; Roy George Harms and Karen Sue Harms; Reyna Buendia Mejia and Julio Mejia.

Connie Jane Ulmer and Randy Clay Ulmer were granted a divorce in Pettis County Circuit Court Wednesday.

### Suspended police officer's hearing is set for tonight

A public hearing for suspended Sedalia police officer Larry L. Findley will be held by the Police Personnel Board at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the City Council Chambers of the Municipal Building.

Findley was suspended from the police force April 14 for 10 days without pay after he refused to serve a pre-signed warrant. Findley said such a warrant is illegal because it is served without the prior knowledge of the municipal court judge.

Findley's dismissal from the department was recommended to the board by Police Chief William Miller.

A hearing was held with the Policemen's Advisory Committee within 24 hours of his suspension, but nothing was resolved.

Attorney Ken Romines was originally retained by Findley. However, Romines later withdrew because he is the law partner of Jim Rice, chairman of the Police Personnel Board. Craig Cassing replaced Romines in the case.

### No dismissal of malpractice suit

Pettis County Circuit Judge Frank Meyer Wednesday afternoon overruled a motion to dismiss a malpractice suit against a Sedalia doctor.

Cecil and Dorothy Grandfield, Lincoln, are seeking damages totaling \$75,000 against Dr. Ira M. White, 108 West 11th, on behalf of their seven-year-old daughter, Caron.

The couple is charging Dr. White with negligence for allegedly failing to perform surgery on their daughter's adenoids. They contend that failure to perform the adenoidectomy left the plaintiff with "permanent impairment of hearing."

White's attorney filed a motion Feb. 19 to dismiss the case. The motion contends the case should be dropped because an earlier suit filed by the Grandfields against White cites the same charges against him. That case was dismissed April 1, 1974, in Pettis County Circuit Court.

### Investigation of thefts continuing

Police reported that three vehicles were burglarized around Sedalia Wednesday night.

The 28th citizens band radio to be stolen in 1975 was taken from a car belonging to Doyle Wiskor, 815 West Cooper, while the car was parked at his home Wednesday night. Value for the radio was set at \$124.39. A portion of the dashboard was torn out to remove the radio.

Two AM-FM radios were stolen from a pick-up truck belonging to Jim Roller, Junction City, Kan., while he was staying at the Holiday Inn Wednesday night. Value for the radios was placed at \$328.

A tape player, valued at \$100, was also stolen from a pick-up truck parked at Ramada Inn Wednesday night. The truck belonged to Michael W. Sharp, Lowell, Ark.

An automobile volt-ohm meter, a lantern and numerous hand tools were stolen Tuesday night from a truck owned by Willard L. Woolery, 1834 South Warren, Sedalia police reported. The truck was parked at Woolery's residence. The value of the stolen items was set at \$60.

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## Heller predicts turnaround

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill. (AP) — Economist Walter Heller has predicted a turnaround in the economy in the next two to three months but said the key to sustained recovery is in the hands of the Federal Reserve System.

Heller, speaking Tuesday night at Southern Illinois University, said the question of how strong the rebound will be depends on whether Arthur Burns, Federal Reserve Board chairman, will accommodate expansion.

"Arthur Burns put us on a diet of supertight money and double-digit interest rates and many of us were concerned that the Federal Reserve Board was overstaying tightness," said Heller who is Regents professor of economics at the University of Minnesota.

Heller argued that the tight money policy "snuffed out any hope of economic recovery in the second half of 1974."

But, Heller, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers from 1961-64, said even when the economic recovery begins, the unemployment problem will still be around.

He predicted unemployment will go to at least 9 per cent and said that figure could be very conservative.

Heller said the economy will turn around because labor costs, and in particular, wage increases, are averaging 10 per cent across the country despite huge settlements in the coal industry. He added that almost two-thirds of the rates which increased, such as the cost of

foods and energy, have come down.

"Barring a crop disaster this spring, like those we've had the past two years, crops will be a drag on inflation and not a stimulus," he added.

"There should be several programs for dealing with unem-

ployment that should self-destruct when the economy improves," Heller said.

The first is unemployment compensation, the second public service jobs, and the third antirecession grants to states affected by recession as much as the consumers are," he said.

## Say Clay probe political

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A Department of Justice investigation into the office of Rep. William Clay, D-Mo. is a scheme to damage his integrity and destroy his credibility, claims the congressman.

The Justice Department is looking into possible fraud concerning Clay's \$192,000 annual staff payroll funded by tax money, including payments to St. Louis political figures and their relatives, and his use of political campaign funding.

But Clay charged the investigation has mushroomed "into a full-scale witchhunt" following stories published in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat con-

cerning his payroll and campaign finances.

Clay, in a statement entered in the Congressional Record and quoted today in a Globe-Democrat story, urged Congress to help him halt what he termed "the encroachment of the Justice Department upon the rights and prerogatives of the Congress."

The congressman said that after the Globe-Democrat published a story claiming that some of his 1974 campaign contributions were unaccounted for in campaign expense reports, "immediately the Globe-Democrat private detectives—the FBI—rose to the occasion."



Proud papa

Mark Levy is all smiles during a news conference Wednesday morning in Cincinnati's General Hospital where his wife, Palela, gave birth to quintuplets Tuesday afternoon. Levy said he was extremely happy and hadn't given

much thought to any problems that the large group would cause. He added that although he hadn't ever changed a diaper he will probably be learning quickly.

(AP Wirephoto)

## Farm roundup

### Grain decision coming

By DON KENDALL  
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A State Department official says the Ford administration hopes to decide in "a couple of months" on the U.S. position regarding international grain reserves to serve as a hedge against future world food shortages.

Assistant Secretary of State Thomas O. Enders said Tuesday, however, that a number of fundamental questions remain to be worked out. He said those include:

—Selecting commodities to be included in a stockpile plan. He speculated that wheat would be the main food grain with some rice possibly being considered.

—The quantity of reserves, both from an international standpoint and the U.S. Share. Enders said that up to 60 million metric tons of all types of grain worldwide had been suggested, with 30 million to 35 million tons of wheat mentioned as a possible alternate level.

—Ownership of reserve stocks. Enders said the admin-

istration favors private ownership of grain by farmers and the trade in designing the U.S. share. He said that existing authority for federal acquisition of stocks are sufficient if the need arises for government ownership.

Enders told the Newspaper Farm Editors of America that another problem facing U.S. planners is how such an international agreement of grain reserves will be enforced. He said administration consultations with Congress on the proposed plan, offered at the World Food Conference in Rome last fall, will commence soon.

Participation of the Soviet Union in an effective international food grain reserve would be desirable, he said, but added that it is an open question whether Moscow would enter such an agreement.

The People's Republic of China also has been invited, he said, but has not indicated any intention of joining.

Enders said there has been some apparent letdown in public enthusiasm for a world food

reserve effort since last fall because of a lessening of grain urgency and prospects for large crops this year.

"People's memories are short," he said, "but we've already had a taste of shortages in this world and the next time it happens it might be a lot worse."

Under questioning, Enders said the presence of large grain stocks were a potential hazard for farmers who might fear a holdown on grain prices because of those supplies. He said that details of how those stocks would be safeguarded are among problems to be reconciled.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Farm Bureau Federation sent word Tuesday to President Ford that he should veto the newly passed farm bill because it is not in the best interests of farmers.

William J. Kuhfuss, federation president, told Ford in a telegram that the bill has "the potential for substantial program costs to the federal government" and should be blocked.

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# Come back

By ERMA BOMBECK

When Mike was three he wanted a sandbox and his father said, "There goes the yard. We'll have kids over here day and night and they'll throw sand into the flower beds and cats will make a mess in it and it'll kill the grass for sure."

And Mike's mother said, "It'll come back."

When Mike was five, he wanted a jungle gym set with swings that would take his breath away and bars to take him to the summit and his father said, "Good grief, I've seen those things in backyards and do you know what they look like? Mud holes in a pasture. Kids digging their gym shoes in the ground. It'll kill the grass."

And Mike's mother said, "It'll come back."

Between breaths when Daddy was blowing up the plastic swimming pool, he warned, "You know what they're going to do to this place? They're going to condemn it and use it for a missile site. I hope you know what you're doing. They'll track water everywhere and you'll have a million water fights and you won't be able to take out the garbage without stepping in mud up to your neck and when we take this down we'll have the only brown lawn on the block."

"It'll come back," smiled Mike's mother.

When Mike was 12, he volunteered his yard for a camp-out. As they hoisted the tents and drove in the spikes, his father stood at the window and observed, "Why don't I just put the grass seed out in cereal bowls for the birds and save myself the trouble of spreading

it around. You know for a fact that those tents and all those big feet are going to trample down every single blade of grass, don't you? Don't bother to answer," he said. "I know what you're going to say — 'It'll come back.'"

The basketball hoop on the side of the garage attracted more crows than the Winter Olympics. And a small patch of lawn that started out with a barren spot the size of a garbage can lid soon grew to encompass the entire side yard. Just when it looked like the new seed might take root, the winter came and the sled runners beat it into ridges and Mike's father

shook his head and said, "I never asked for much in this life — only a patch of grass."

And his wife smiled and said, "It'll come back."

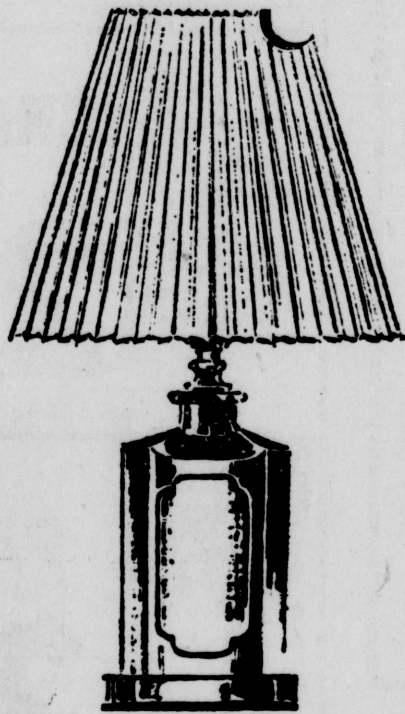
The lawn this fall was beautiful. It was green and alive and rolled out like a sponge carpet along the drive where gym shoes had trod, along the garage where bicycles used to fall and around the flower beds where little boys used to dig with iced tea spoons.

But Mike's father never saw it. He anxiously looked beyond the yard and asked with a catch in his voice, "He will come back, won't he?"

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## Pet songbirds are in competition

By KENNETH L. WHITIN

SINGAPORE (AP) — Sturdie Road on Sunday mornings is for the birds. Dozens of sharmas and merboks and the odd red vented bulbul are displayed in handsome cages by proud owners.

Visiting bird fanciers sip coffee at sidewalk tables while listening to the birds trill. Some spectators busy themselves with tape recorders and cameras.

Owners exchange data about their pets, discuss diets and singing ability. Some haggle over prices and the merits of various species.

These gatherings are practice sessions for the more dedicated bird owners, not unlike trainers sharpening up their boxers in a gym. Feathered contenders get in trim for formal singing contests or even the Singapore championships at the national soccer stadium. The latter in-

volve hundreds of entrants competing on the basis of voice, beauty, grace and all-around talent.

Judges award points for the pitch and timbre of a bird's voice, how well it carries a tune, head and body movements during the song as well as poise and grooming.

Leading songbirds are sensitive artists, said a bank clerk who fields a team of bulbuls in his spare time. He said those outchirped in tough competition have been known to fall silent, waste away and die.

"It takes two years to train a bird. They must get used to people and competition," he said.

Caged birds were pampered pets in old China for centuries and a modern Singapore Chinese is just as apt to walk his pet bird as a family dog in the park.

The singing birds are all males, said one expert. The hobby of rearing them appears to be a male preserve, though nobody on Sturdie Road could explain why.

This quiet residential street is one of a number of spots where birds are rehearsed and their owners gossip.

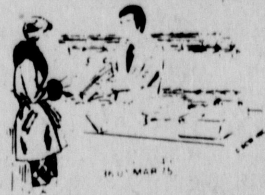
Sharmas got the most attention there recently. These long-tailed birds have a charcoal-black head, beady bright eyes and a breast of gold-brown-

rust. The rest of their feathers are black with blue overtones. It's said that no two sing alike. Some have a regular repertoire. One kept repeating "The River Kwai" march.

A sharma can cost more than U.S. \$100 and its feed is relatively expensive. The China-made cages with bamboo bars are priced from U.S. \$25 to as much as \$500 depending on the quality of the wood and the richness of carvings around the base. The more elaborate have inlaid ivory trim and porcelain feeding bowls.

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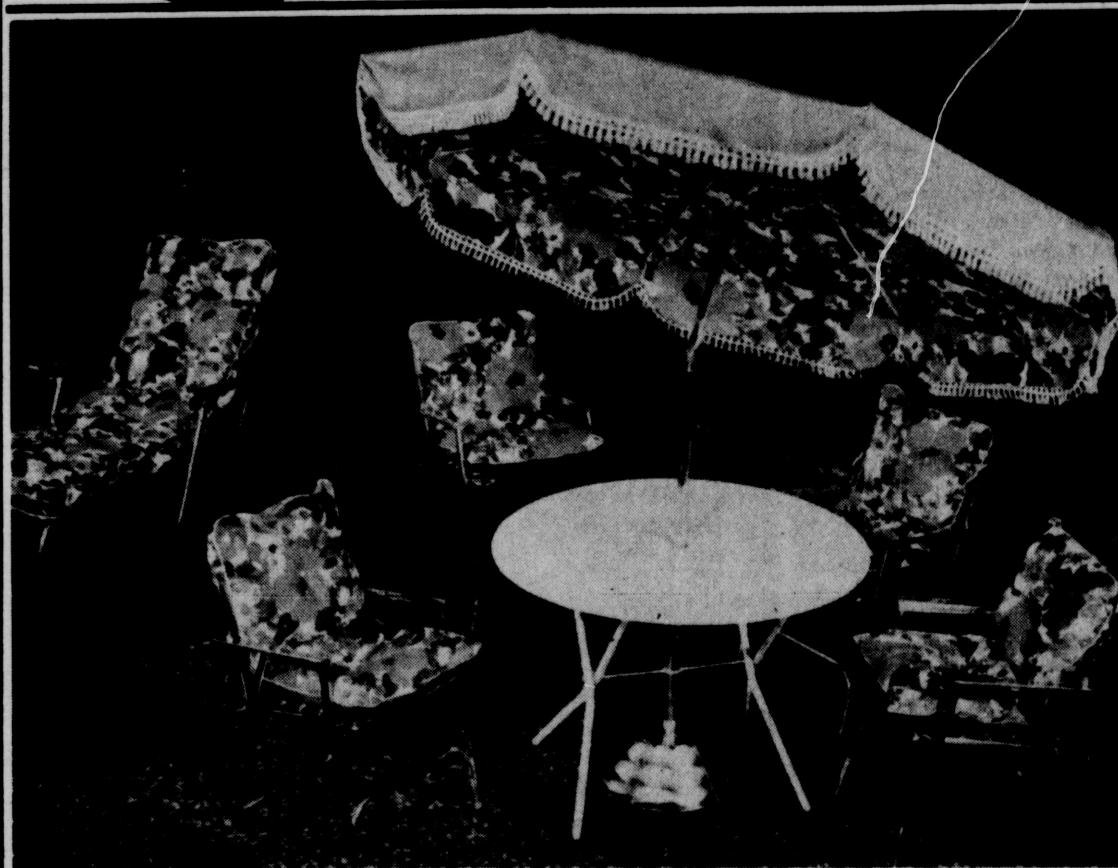
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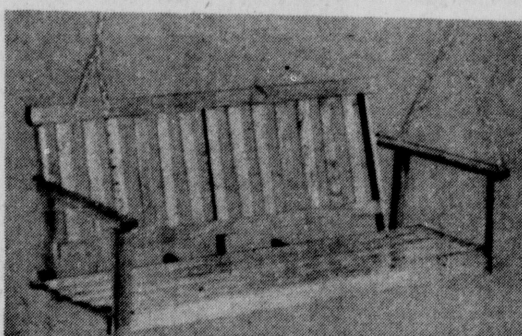
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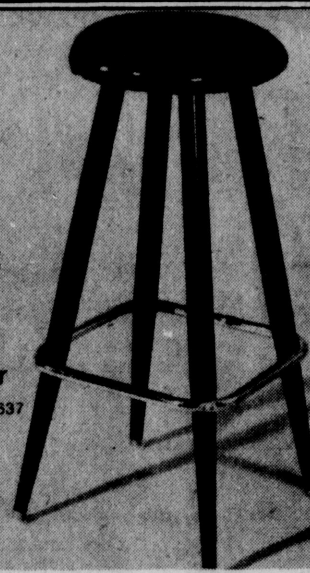
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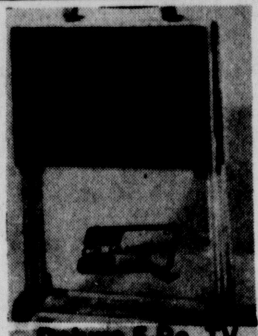
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## Deep relationships difficult to break

Dear Ann Landers: I am very curious about something. I have been reading your column for a long time and must admit the advice you hand out is pretty smart. But what would happen if YOU were madly in love with an alcoholic, a woman chaser, a gambler, etc.? Would you break off the relationship as you advise others to do?

Don't you realize that some people who write to you have been deeply involved with no-goods for years and it's not easy to say goodbye? It's a way of life for them — and it beats being lonesome.

Please don't tell me you are too wise to get mixed up with crooks, cheats, liars and weaklings. Give me a GOOD answer. What would you do? — There Now

Dear Now: If I were madly in love with a "no-good" I'd get professional help and find out what was wrong with me that I couldn't extricate myself from a relationship that was so degrading.

People who have a healthy regard for themselves don't settle for destructive and shoddy involvements.

Dear Ann Landers: I have been suspicious of my daughter's behavior for quite some time. She is 18 and has been going steady with a boy, 17. Although I've questioned her repeatedly about the late hours and the condition of her clothes when she comes in at dawn she always swears she's a good girl.

Yesterday her diary fell out of her desk drawer. I read it. Three weeks ago she wrote, "Sam and I got married tonight. It was the happiest event of my whole life."

I believe they had sex but I don't think they got married. Of course I am sick about it. How can I mention this to my daughter without letting her know I read her diary? I know she'll be angry.

Please help me out of this box. — Unhappy Mother

Dear Mother: You'd better confess to your daughter that you read her diary and ask her to forgive you.

It's too late to give her a lecture on morality and abstinence. If the girl is having sex with her boyfriend, she needs information so she can

protect herself from becoming pregnant. If you are not equal to the task, make an appointment for her with the family doctor.

Dear Ann Landers: There are six couples in our card club. We meet every week in each other's homes. There's this one couple who speak to each other in German. They are partners in every game and it is impossible for us to tell if they are sending signals or what. Even before we sit down to play, and after, when we are having refreshments, they converse in German.

Several of us would like to tell them to knock off the foreign chit-chat or join another club. We think it is rude and it could also be unfair. Please help us. — Fed Up In Fargo

Dear Fed: I'm not in your club so I can't tell that couple to knock off the foreign chit-chat. But surely, in your group of ten, there must be one person who has the courage to speak up and tell them it makes everyone uncomfortable when a language is spoken that no one understands. Since YOU wrote, I nominate you for the assignment.

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## Conspiracy convictions in drug cases

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Nine persons, including the leader of an alleged \$3,000-a-day heroin ring, were convicted Wednesday in U.S. District Court on charges of conspiring to sell heroin.

Eugene C. "Papa" Kirk, 49, was found guilty of 18 narcotics violations, including being the "organizer, supervisor and manager" of a "continuing criminal enterprise."

Kirk's son, Gregory Kirk, 21, was found guilty of conspiracy and possession of heroin, while the seven other defendants were convicted of conspiracy and use of the telephone to distribute heroin. A tenth person, Larry Wymys, 29, was acquitted of the latter charges.

Nearly four hours of taped conversations obtained through court-ordered wiretaps had been presented by the federal government as key evidence in the 19-day trial. It was the first drug case in St. Louis in which such evidence was used.

Kirk faces a possible life sentence in prison and \$585,000 in fines, while his son could be sentenced to 30 years in prison and fined \$50,000 and the other defendants sentenced to 19 years in prison and fined \$55,000.

Sentencing by Judge H. Kenneth Wanglein is scheduled for May 16.

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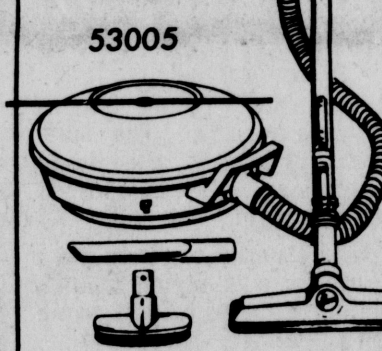
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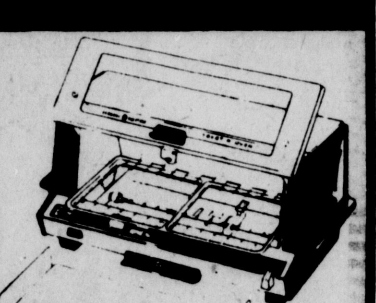


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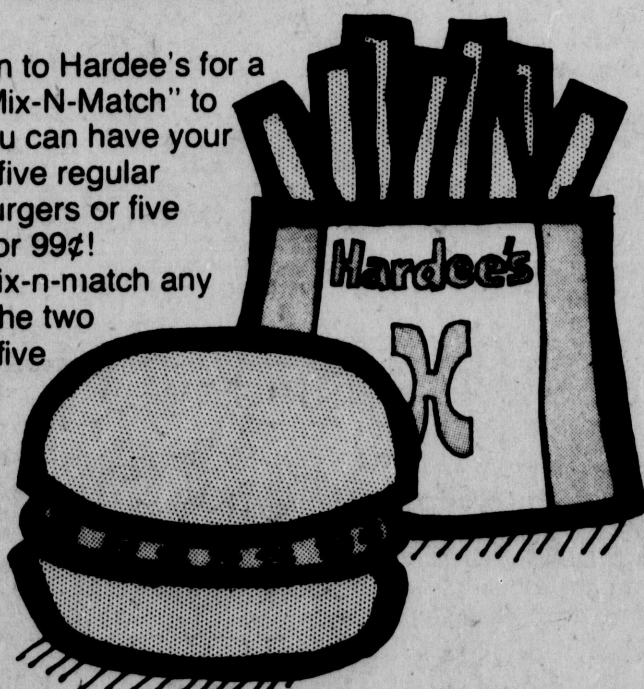
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TV auction benefits

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president, looks on at right. The \$5,831 check presented Wednesday will go towards operating expenses of the center. It was noted that the Jaycees have donated more than \$50,000 to the center in the past decade. (Democrat-Capital Photo)

Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

## Reader asks about high cholesterol

Dear Dr. Lamb — While I was in Florida I had my blood pressure and heart tested by a machine in a store. The man told me my heart was beating 20 times more than it should every minute. When I asked what caused it he said cholesterol around the heart. He seemed to think it was serious. I have been trying to find out what foods are high in cholesterol but haven't succeeded. I am overweight. Would loss of weight relieve this condition? Can you tell me where I can find out about cholesterol?

Dear Reader — If you are overweight it would be a good idea to correct the problem. You should have some tests done to find out whether you really have a high cholesterol count and what your blood fats picture really is. That may have a lot to do with what you need to do in terms of a low cholesterol diet.

Let's look at your real question, your heart rate. You can't tell much about the circulation from a casual heart rate. Many normal people have higher rates during the day. In general I believe those people with relatively slow heart rates during the entire day are in better health (if they don't have a heart condition like heart block that causes the slow rate). Many healthy persons have a sharp rise in heart rate when they are excited.

As an experiment take your heart rate when you first wake

up in the morning. Then take it in the middle of the afternoon and again after your evening meal. You will probably see a wide range. Just find your pulse at the wrist and count it for a full minute to find out your heart rate.

If you have a persistently fast heart rate it could be from lack of good physical conditioning, too much coffee or too many cigarettes, if you have either of those habits.

Dear Dr. Lamb — Please give us some information on an extra rib, especially one located on the right shoulder at the neck.

Dear Reader — Most of your vertebrae have a short bony process that is really the stub of an undeveloped rib, one on each side. Occasionally it becomes a fully developed rib. I noticed a recent case report in a medical journal of one found in the pelvis, which is quite rare. Those found in the neck are fairly common and are called a cervical rib.

The cervical rib may not cause any problem at all. In some cases it is located in such a way that it creates pressure on nerves, blood vessels or affects muscle and tendon function. In these few cases the symptoms depend entirely on where the pressure is. In such cases it may be necessary to surgically relieve the pressure.

For the large number of cervical ribs causing no symptoms at all, they are best left alone.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)



## Comedian finds job easier after Nixon

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF  
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Comedian Mark Russell says the job of a political humorist is a lot easier with Richard M. Nixon out of the White House and the Vietnam war fading into history.

"Last year there was tremendous polarization. This year, the anger is gone. We're all uniformly frustrated," Russell said in an interview.

Russell, a Washington institution who performs at a local hotel and appears frequently on television, is completing a political double-header tonight.

He will provide the entertainment at the annual \$500-a-plate Democratic fund-raising dinner for Senate and House candidates. Party officials hope to raise \$900,000.

Just nine days ago, he performed a similar stint at the Republicans' \$1,000-a-plate affair that brought in between \$600,000 and \$700,000.

"It happens all the time," Russell said. "I only have to change a few lines." The comedian calls himself "a confused independent" — but adds "I can be bought."

He's charging the Democrats \$1,000 for a 30-minute routine. The Republicans paid the same for 15 minutes.

Russell drew a good laugh at the GOP dinner when he mentioned President Ford's speech to Congress arguing the need for \$722 million in emergency

military aid to Vietnam. Russell asked: "Did you get the idea that all eyes in the chamber turned to Rocky?" a reference to Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller.

Noting that Ford had asked for congressional action on his request in nine days, Russell said: "The only thing they could do in nine days was make minute rice."

Referring to recent low election turnouts, Russell said that in Chicago "only 200,000 people voted, casting 1.5 million votes."

For the dinner tonight, Democratic officials report ticket sales running at about the same rate as in 1973 when the dinner grossed a record \$960,000 and made a profit of more than \$800,000.

Last year, it took in about \$625,000 and made a \$500,000 profit.

As of noon Wednesday, the dinner committee reported \$506,000 on hand.

If the dinner comes anywhere close to the target figure, it will mark the second time in three years that the Democrats have out-raised the Republicans, who did much better in the years before Watergate.

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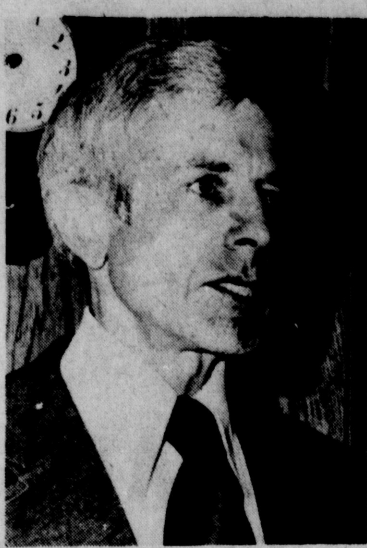
# Metric conversion is discussed

Equipped with an overhead projector and sufficient knowledge of the metric system, Dr. Dale Jackson, Liberty, explained the pros and cons of metric conversion to members of the Pettis County Manufacturers Association Wednesday night.

"The American people are not particularly in favor of the metric system right now," said Jackson. "But conversion is inevitable. The United States is going metric, and industry is taking a lead."

Speaking before about 50 association members at the Walnut Hills Country Club, Jackson, University of Missouri industrial specialist for nine counties, explained that conversion from the English Unit of Measure to the metric system will cause problems.

Jackson pointed out that "because a specific system of international units has not been established," there is some variation in measure from country to country. This variation, he said, is evident in manufactured products. Only 20 specific units including the meter, gram, newton and liter,



Dr. Dale Jackson

are working parts of the standard metric system, or International Unit of Measure, he said.

New equipment and tools, redesigned machinery and the re-education of adults will be cost factors of conversion, Jackson added. The estimated cost of conversion could range between \$2 billion to \$45 billion, he said.

But metric conversion would reduce mathematical error, reduce product inventory and eliminate one to two years of grade school mathematics, Jackson noted. He explained elimination of fractions associated with the inch and pound measures would abolish "nonsense packaging and confusing labels," and perhaps save the country "\$700 million each year on time spent for teaching of fractions."

The metric system is based on a decimal system which is multiplied or divided by units of 10.

He pointed out that lack of governmental legislation and concern could cause U. S. manufacturers to be forced into using some unstandardized measures now used in different

countries. "You just may have to live with set-down standards you are not particularly pleased with," he said.

Also at the meeting, the association announced its new board of directors and administrative officers.

Elected officers include: Arnold Fischer, president; Robert Lindstrom, vice-president; and Russell Woodyard, secretary-treasurer. John Houston, George Berenyi and Kenneth Grott were named to the board of directors.

In other business, John Hequembourg, city economic

development director noted Industrial Appreciation Week will be held June 1 through 7. He explained industrial exhibits from Sedalia manufacturers will be displayed at that time on the county courthouse grounds.

You may be able to pick up some old tin cans with covers at a garage sale; the ones that food came in are attractive to use in a modern kitchen. Because their colors are muted and their printing is old-fashioned, they look "antique." Some of them may even have recipes on them.

## Finishes jail term for helping Nixon

LOMPOC, Calif. (AP) — Edward L. Morgan has been released after serving four months in prison for conspiring to illegally arrange a \$576,000 tax deduction for former President Richard M. Nixon.

Morgan was sentenced to the federal minimum security prison camp here after pleading guilty to illegally backdating a deed for Nixon's pre-presidential papers that were donated to the government.

A prison spokesman said Morgan, who entered Lompoc on Jan. 6, worked in the prison power station. Morgan was released on Wednesday.

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# Drop in extras causes confusion

By LOUISE COOK  
Associated Press Writer

More businesses are trying to boost sales by cutting out the extras and lowering prices, but Americans can't seem to make up their minds about the no-frills packages.

Some builders say consumers are enthusiastic about houses without conveniences like carports; others report business is slow despite efforts to push simpler, cheaper homes.

Spokesmen for the auto industry in Detroit report car buyers are choosing economy models, then piling on the options. But individual dealers say the situation varies from place to place.

The most-publicized of the bare-bones packages is the no-

frills airline fare, but the trend has spread.

Contractors in some areas are offering lower-priced, smaller houses with few extras; factory outlets selling products in warehouse-style buildings at below-retail prices report business is booming.

Nick Demai, vice president of the North Carolina Home Builders Association, said contractors are reducing square footage and leaving out garbage disposals, sun decks and other items. But he said buyers don't seem to be responding, and added: "Business is very slow."

The Deltona Corp. of Miami, Fla., found just the opposite. The company started building "back-to-basics"

houses designed to sell between \$17,800 and \$30,900. Deltona sold 175 of the houses in the first three months of the year — compared to 37 homes in the fourth quarter of 1974.

The automobile picture is mixed. Joe Lazare, president of Westgate Lincoln-Mercury in Albany, N.Y., said customers who are buying smaller cars are "looking for the four-cylinder, standard transmission where they used to get the six cylinder automatic."

In Schenectady, N.Y., however, Dan Prior, general manager of the State Toyota Corp., said people are buying just as many items like air-conditioning and radios as they were in the past.

John Carello, sales manager of Frank Sanders

Oldsmobile in Los Angeles said he was "selling a pretty good mix of cars," but a spokesman for Felix Chevrolet said customers are "going for the fully loaded cars and I can't tell you why."

A Ford spokesman in Detroit said 94 per cent of all Chevrolet Novas sold this year were ordered with an optional automatic transmission, compared to 92 per cent last year.

The no-frills airline fare, initially proposed by National Airlines and now offered by five carriers, took effect April 14 and airline spokesmen said the initial reaction was encouraging.

"Bookings are heavy," said a spokesman for National.

The no-frills fare is being offered on routes connecting Florida with the East Coast and selected major cities in the South and West. Passengers must buy tickets seven days in advance and travel Monday through Thursday.

The plan started out as a strictly bare-bones operation: no food or drink, for example. But some of the airlines have started putting back the extras, providing free soft drinks and selling low-priced sandwiches and, in some cases, alcoholic beverages.



He's safe now

South Vietnamese youngster may have been shivering from the cold, windy weather Wednesday, but he got a warm welcome from Port of Portland policeman on hand for arrival of 76 orphans from South Vietnam,

who, accompanied by 72 refugees from Saigon, boarded buses that took them to new life in Mount Angel, south of Portland, Ore.

(AP Wirephoto)

## Honduran coup well planned

By TOM WELLS  
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The overthrow of President Oswaldo Lopez Arellano of Honduras had been in the making for some time, and the banana scandal just helped things along, according to a high-ranking Honduran military source.

The source said young officers had been unhappy with the performance of 53-year-old Gen. Lopez and the other older military leaders long before Tuesday's bloodless coup that installed a new military government headed by Col. Juan Alberto Melgar.

Lopez was implicated this month in the scandal resulting from the admission by United Brands, the American firm that dominates the Honduran banana industry, that it paid a \$1.2-million bribe to Honduran officials to get the banana export tax reduced.

The Wall Street Journal reported that the bribe was paid to Lopez. The president vehemently denied the charge, but a commission named to investigate the scandal said he refused to let it examine his foreign bank accounts.

Lopez came to power in a military coup in 1963, was president in 1969, then headed the armed forces until he seized power again in 1972. The military source said opposition to him and his associates began developing among the younger officers in 1969 when El Salvador's forces marched several miles into Honduras during a four-day war.

Younger officers who had trained abroad felt the army was an unprofessional fighting force that needed to be brought up to date. Their discontent reportedly came to a head after Hurricane Fifi devastated the country last September, killing thousands. The army directed the relief program, and there were charges that it was sloppily handled and that some officers stole relief goods.

In December, the young Turks forced Lopez to replace older colonels heading fighting units. In February, they seized control of the 25-member High Military Council and forced the retirement of several pro-Lopez officers.

On March 31, the young officers called Lopez before them and demanded he resign as chief of the armed forces. He complied, but on Tuesday, the High Military Council stripped him of his other post, chief of state.

The new military government apparently intends to keep the country further to the right. It said in a radio broadcast that it would not tolerate "disjointed, anarchist or destructive ideas." The announcement said private investment, by both Hondurans and foreigners, will be stimulated.

It also said it would continue a land reform program inaugurated by Lopez. But political sources in Honduras say the program has not been advanced aggressively.

Military sources in Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital, denied that Lopez was under house arrest although six soldiers were on guard outside his home. They said that was the normal guard there, and one military official said: "The general is free to do anything he wants to; he is not under arrest."

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## Sedalia man discovers

# The finer points of knitting

"There's the old prejudice that knitting is a feminine occupation," says Eugene Logan, Route HH, who begs to differ.

Logan, a 67-year-old retiree, wears wool socks the year-round and knits his own argyles for \$3.99 a pair, or less.

"I much prefer wool socks," Logan said, "because wool serves as a cushion in the shoes and they (argyles) are very colorful."

A few years ago, he saw a newspaper article that pictured a 240-pound truck driver who had won an embroidery contest.

"Embroidery work is far more delicate than knitting," Logan said, "which shows there's two sides to every story." His other side consists of raising 25 Angus cows on 70 acres of his 286-acre farm north of Sedalia. "And every spring, I shovel 18 tons of manure out of two cow barns," he added.

Logan's mother taught him to knit when he was 9 years old in 1917. When America entered World War I, Logan was knitting 12-by-30-inch scarves to send overseas.

During World War II Logan started wearing wool socks. "In 1940, they came out with sock packs (enough yarn and a pattern to make one pair) and my wife started knitting socks for me," he said.

The complexity of the pattern intrigued Logan at that time. "By golly," he recalls saying, "I used to knit, I'll try that." So he did in 1948, completing one pair of socks.

Retired in 1966 and recuperating from a heart attack, Logan said he got tired of watching TV and putting together puzzles. So early in 1967 he knitted eight pairs of socks.

"Two years ago, my sister in Florida, a great knitter, gave me a bag full of odd pieces of yarn. I took up making my own designs and choosing my own



### Best of both worlds

Eugene Logan has discovered meaning in an unusual — for men — hobby, knitting. But he also enjoys an outdoor masculine life on his 286-acre farm north of Sedalia. Here Logan knits a pair of wool argyle socks as well as models a pair he hand-knitted. At right, his other side is revealed as he shovels manure out of one of his cow barns, doing spring cleaning for his 25-head herd of Angus cattle.

(Democrat-Capital Photos)

color combinations." He's knitted four pairs since then.

By using odd pieces of yarn in different colors for the feet of the socks, he saves even more money knitting his own. He



unless I'm watching those needles."

Of the 13 pairs of socks he's knitted, he's made only one pair for someone other than himself.

"It's too much work to do it for somebody else," he exclaimed, estimating that it takes him 20 to 25 hours labor to make one pair. "At present labor rates," he said, "that's \$60 to \$75, and I'm not at the point, nor is any other man, willing to pay that for a pair of socks."

"This is normally considered a sissy occupation," Logan said, "but it requires mental discipline. It intrigues me to see if I can keep all the threads going at once."

### Button trays to be displayed

Trays of buttons in all shapes, materials and subjects will be on display during the Missouri State Button Society's annual meeting and competitive show this weekend at Bothwell Hotel.

The button display will be open to the public from 1:30 to 5 p.m. Saturday and from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Sunday. The display will not be open on Friday, as was previously reported.

### Polly's pointers

## Floor tile stains thwart a cleanup

By POLLY CRAMER

DEAR POLLY — Cotton is good for baiting mouse traps. Mice like it for nesting. Put the cotton in and around the mouse trap.

When I wash wool blankets I put one cup of moth balls or crystals in the rinse water to protect them from moths.

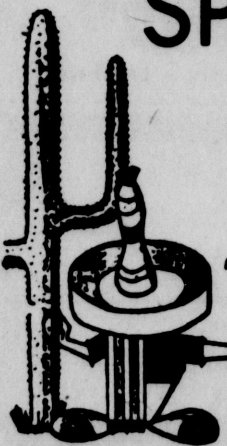
Also, I find boric acid will make roaches disappear. — DOROTHY.

Polly's problem

DEAR POLLY — We would like to know how to remove rust stains from an asphalt tile kitchen floor. A cabinet stood in one place and then was moved. There were stains that probably were caused by water seeping under the cabinet when the floor was washed so frequently. I have used wax remover and other household powders but to not avail. — GERRY.

DEAR GERRY — One maker of asphalt tile suggests rubbing such stains with a diluted solution of oxalic acid and using No. 00 steel wool. Handle this acid with EXTREME CARE and caution. Use self-polishing wax on asphalt tile. Do remember that many solvents soften asphalt tile and cause colors to run. Any furniture legs should be put in rubber, not metal cups. — POLLY. (NEA)

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## Design feature saves money

The rectangle of vertical bars appearing on more and more grocery items is not just a new design feature. It is part of a new product identification system, the Universal Product Code, says Mrs. Pat Lieurance, family economics and management extension specialist for the University of Missouri-Columbia.

The code represents a complete product description. Each product's price is recorded in a computer. The computer scanner at the check-out station draws out the product name and its price and is also capable of including taxable items, refunds, coupons redeemed and trading stamps. It then prints the information on the register tape. Mrs. Lieurance says more detailed tapes can help consumers keep accurate records of purchases.

When the coding system is in full use, prices may appear only

on shelf fronts, but not necessarily on individual items, she says. Proponents of the code says this may eliminate supermarket costs of stamping prices on each piece of merchandise.

She feels if the code is implemented effectively, prices

on grocery shelves should be easier to read than they are presently, to allow consumers to compare prices between brands.

Forecasters say many food stores will have phases of the code in effect by 1980.

## League elects officers

The League of Women Voters of Sedalia-Pettis County held election of officers at its annual business meeting Monday night at Ramada Inn.

Officers elected were Mrs. Esther Ellison, president; Mrs. Judy Berenyi, first vice-president; Mrs. Becky Ledgerwood, second vice-president; Mrs. Anna Mae Cain, treasurer; Mrs. Leanna Horn,

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# International Center set back for one year

MANHATTAN, Kan. (AP) — Kansas State University has postponed for at least one year construction of its International Center for foreign students because it lacks the necessary funds.

Dr. Paul Young, vice president of university development, said part of a \$250,000 donation from an anonymous source apparently was tied to the stock market, and much of it had been eroded by Wall Street declines.

"We can't start yet because we are not in a position to make a contract under the Kansas law without cash in hand," Young said.

Young announced last fall the university hoped to have the center completed by this fall. He now estimates the earliest it can be ready is fall of 1976.

## Soviet upper-crust

# Classless society is paying big salaries

LONDON — (LENS) — Brezhnev's salary is a closely guarded secret. So is the pay of all his comrades and so, technically speaking, are their identities for Russia publishes no Who's Who, and the nomenklatura or name list of top office-holders is classified as well.

Some of these secrets have leaked out: Brezhnev earns about 900 rubles of \$1,170 a month; Marshal Grechko, his defense minister, earns about \$2,660. But the most open secret of all is that Brezhnev, Grechko and some 255,000 other Russians constitute an upper crust in Soviet society with salaries and fringe benefits far above those of the man in the street.

One of these benefits is the so-called "thirteenth month" or "hospital money." This has

nothing to do with health or hospitals, but is simply a bonus of an extra month's pay for deserving party bureaucrats. But officials do also get superior medical care at the chain of hospitals, clinics and dispensaries which are run for top people by a special department of the Ministry of Health. Several thousand Moscow officials are entitled to the so-called Kremlin ration of 16-32 "gold rubles" for use in the shops which are otherwise restricted to diplomats and holders of foreign currency.

The Soviet elite is also entitled to special holiday facilities: old country houses outside Moscow, villas in the Caucasus, hotels on the Black Sea coast, or long-term leases on state dachas. Even more important in a country where housing is still at a premium,

members of the party apparat and the KGB and managers of industrial firms are permitted to jump housing queues to get first-class flats.

Members of Russia's privileged class, for all their advantages, share one very great disadvantage: they cannot invest their wealth. Ownership of the "means of production," including land, is forbidden by law, as is the private employment of labor.

But individuals are permitted to buy flats and holiday homes and can bequeath one of each to their heirs. They are also allowed to pass on personal property, including consumer durables, furniture, cars or even paintings, subject to an estate duty of 10 per cent. This extremely light inheritance tax combined with low interest of 2-3 per cent paid on savings (and

the high political risk in being seen to accumulate large sums) gives Russians every incentive to spend as they earn.

Compared with political and business leaders in Europe and America, Russia's rich are poor: the manager of a large British factory earns about four times as much as his Soviet counterpart. And even at a time of executive unemployment, the Russian is less secure: if he falls out of political favor, he stands to lose all his privileges at a stroke and has far less chance of finding another top job.

But compared with their fellow countrymen, Soviet leaders might all be millionaires. The gap between rich and poor is still larger in the Soviet Union than anywhere else in eastern Europe except Poland. Income tax affects

these differentials hardly at all. Tax is progressive only up to \$130 a month and the top rate on regular earnings is only 13 per cent. The manager of a large Soviet factory who earns \$780 a month pays only \$95 in tax whereas an Englishman on the same salary pays \$177, and the better paid British manager gives the tax man more than half his income.

The ordinary Russian lags far behind his party bosses. The average monthly wage is \$170 and the official minimum is \$91, but many Russians earn considerably less: a third of Soviet children live in families whose monthly income is below the official poverty line of \$65. They receive a supplementary benefit of \$16 per child per month as part of the recently completed social security system.



Doggin it

Sampson, a St. Bernard, is one of those dogs that prefers riding over walking — particularly when it comes to riding on his master's motorcycle. Sampson's master, Larry Edwards, uses the motorbike while running errands around a walking horse training stable at Sasser, Ga., and the 2½ year-old St. Bernard gets his kicks as a passenger.

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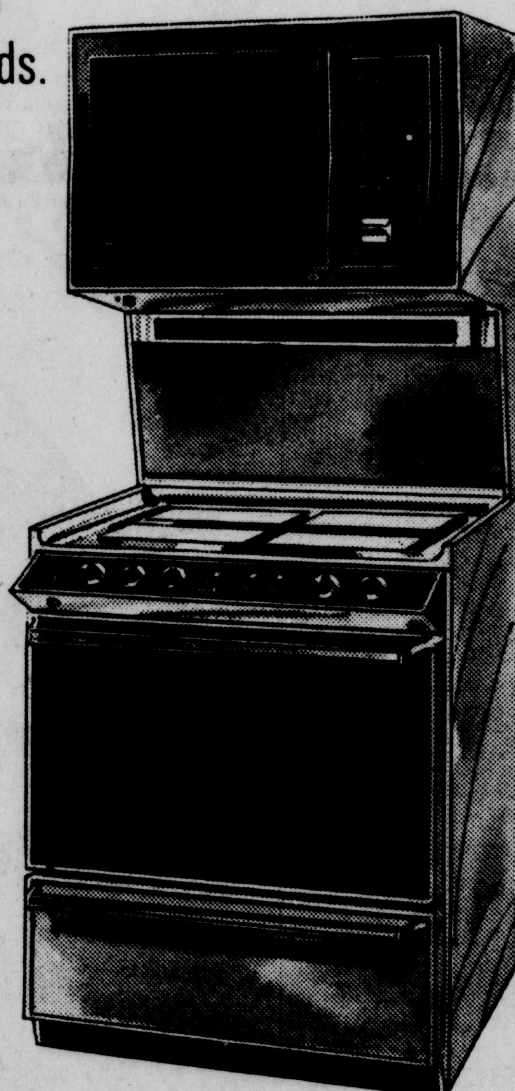
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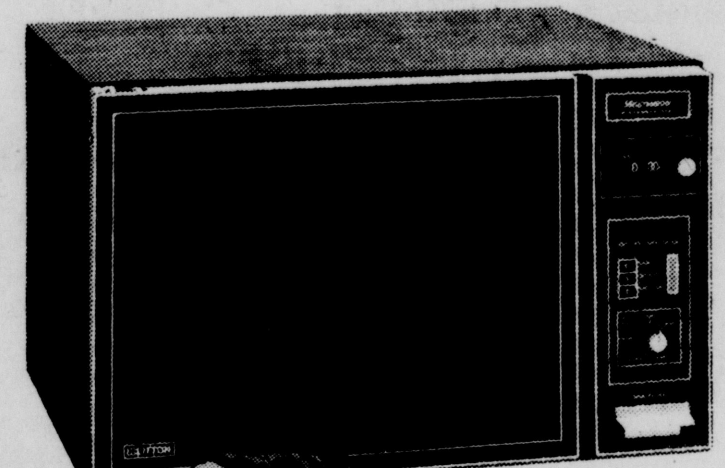
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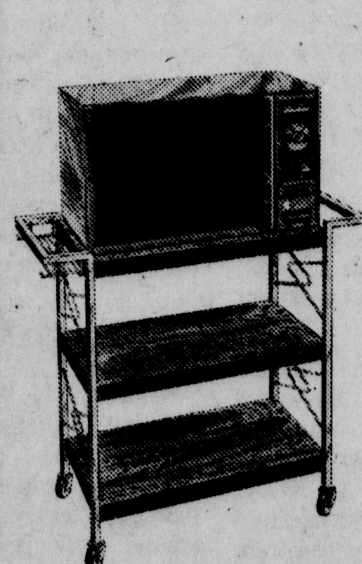
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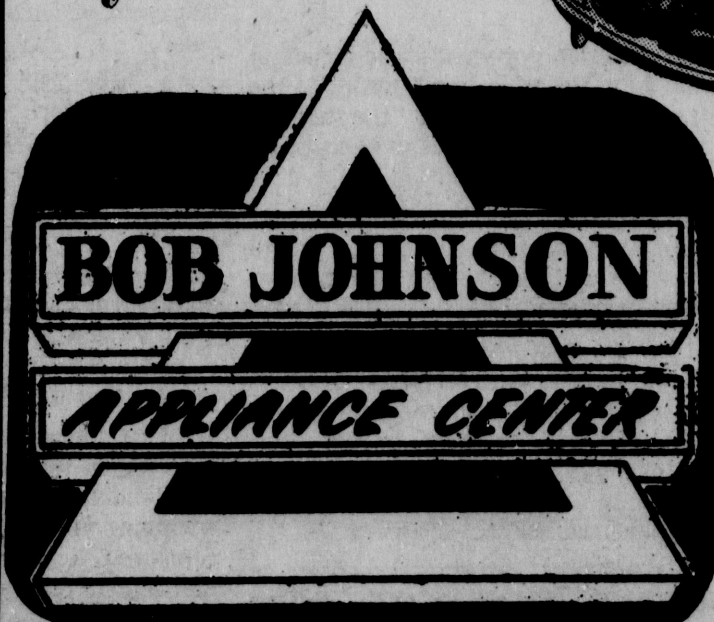
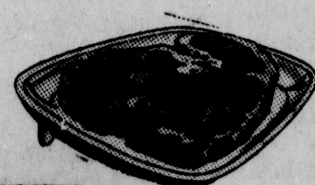
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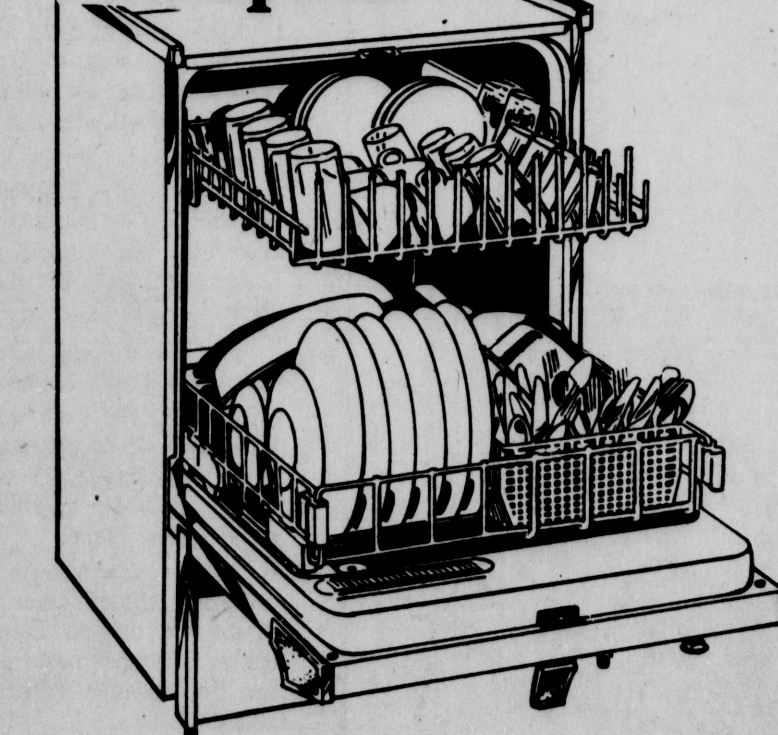


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Gen. Washington issued an order on July 9, 1775 to recruiting officers for the Continental Army that they were not to enlist "any deserter from the ministerial army, nor any stroller, negro, or vagabond, or person suspected of being an enemy to the liberty of America." The World Almanac notes that after learning of Lord Dunmore's proclamation offering freedom to all slaves who joined the King's Army, Washington permitted the enlisting of free Negroes.

Art Buchwald

## Our future detente with Vietnam

WASHINGTON — Will the United States survive the loss of Indochina? If past experience is any proof, the answer is "yes!" For a year or two, or maybe three, there will be much soul-searching as to why Cambodia and South Vietnam went down the drain and a lot of finger pointing by everyone. But then, after a period of bitter silence, this is what will probably happen.



Buchwald

The People's Republic of Vietnam will start a ping-pong team. A small item about the team beating the People's Republic of China will appear in a newspaper in College Park, Md. This will give the University of Maryland a brilliant idea. Why not invite the People's Republic of Vietnam's ping-pong team to play against the best ping-pong team the Americans can muster?

The State Department is furious about the idea and reminds the students that we have no diplomatic relations with the

People's Republic of Vietnam. But secretly they're intrigued with the idea. The secretary of state suggests the American cultural attaché in Paris feel out the PRV about a match. The answer comes back that the PRV will not send a team to the United States but is willing to play the Americans in Hanoi.

A mixed team consisting of half American students and half CIA agents is sent to Hanoi and fiercely trounced by the Vietnamese. This gives the Americans an opportunity to invite the PRV to the United States. When they arrive in Maryland with their team consisting of half Viet Cong students and half political commissars, a secret meeting is arranged between the secretary of state and the coach of the ping-pong team who is really deputy secretary of the Vietnamese Communist Party.

The coach suggests that the secretary of state make a secret trip to Hanoi and visit with Gen. Giap, the president of the country. The secretary agrees and flies to Pakistan where he announces that he has a bad stomach and will be out of action for a few days.

But instead he boards a plane and flies into Hanoi where he is given a state dinner of hot Vietnamese food and toasts the friendship of the American people and the People's Republic of Vietnam.

The secretary then flies directly back to Washington to report to the President that Gen. Giap would like him and his lovely wife to visit their country, something no American President has dared do since Thieu was driven from the mainland.

The U.S. President, who needs some way of distracting the people from domestic problems at home, considers the idea a bold stroke of diplomacy and one which will make him the leading statesman in the world.

He accepts the invitation and in four months the American people watch on satellite TV a grand banquet in the Haiphong Hall of Heroes where the U.S. President and the PRV president pledge friendship and peace and sign a trade and cultural pact. This makes both the People's Republic of China and the Soviet Union furious, which is what the secretary of state had in mind in the first place.

In no time at all every newspaperman worth his salt visits the PRV and writes back glowing reports on how clean the streets are, how hard the Vietnamese people work and the fact that there is no tipping in the country.

The PRV sends us the famous Ho Chi Minh Ballet Theater and we send them Shirley MacLaine. Pepsi-Cola announces that it has made a deal to sell Pepsi in Vietnam, and IBM announces it will soon start repairing all the computers that broke down right after the war.

Then President Giap will be invited to Washington and there will be Vietnamese flags all along Pennsylvania Avenue and flying from the White House.

Eventually there will be few people who will remember that we were once at war in Indochina. The only time it will even come up is when a former president of South Vietnam dies in Switzerland, and the President decides to send Agricultural Secretary Earl Butz to his funeral.

c. 1975, Los Angeles Times

A conservative view

## Course is brainwash of pupils

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

WASHINGTON — Controversy continues over "Man: A Course of Study," the fifth-grade social studies program subsidized and promoted by the National Science Foundation. Some parents love "MACOS." Others denounce it. Some taxpayers defend the expenditure. Others resent it. There seems to be no middle ground.



Kilpatrick

Mrs. Sheila Campbell Burgers taught this course of study for one year in the public schools of Sheffield, Mass. Her personal experience carries a ring of bell-like conviction. After one year with MACOS, she writes, "I refused to teach it again." Let me yield the floor to Mrs. Burgers:

"After having read nine teachers' manuals and 31 books, after having seen the 21 course films several times, and after having worked with 75 fifth-graders, I felt that MACOS not only restricted academic freedom but also inhibited the development of my students by presenting a negative, one-sided and dishonest picture of man. In short, MACOS is a brainwash — clever, well-executed, and lethal.

"The method of teaching is inquiry. The teacher asks questions; the student finds answers. This has been a valid method since Socrates, but Jerome Bruner and his friends have developed a new twist. The teacher is not permitted to initiate the questions; all questions come from manuals — and manuals must be followed exactly. All answers are found in course books and films. Outside sources cannot be used because material concerning the course content (the social structure of the herring gull, salmon, baboon, and the Netsilik Eskimo) is understandably non-existent at the fifth-grade level. Input and output are thereby totally controlled.

"Books cannot leave the classroom. Except for projects, homework is discouraged. Manuals are kept at school for professional use only. Adult intervention, therefore, is minimal.

"How are the children controlled? Bruner knows psychology well. Children are at their most passive, and therefore most receptive, at 10 and 11. They like films, games, role-playing; they like animals and they not only empathize, they identify with them. In a matter of days they speak fluent baboon. They readily learn that the physically strong survive at the expense of the weak. And if they do not learn this from hours of filmed violence, which ranges from the mating rites of herring gulls to the drinking of fresh caribou blood by the Eskimos, they learn by role-playing and games.

"Hunt the Seal is a simulation game; it takes a week to play. The victor must procure enough seals to insure his own survival. He can do this only by 'starving' his co-players. The price of survival is killing; the lesson is re-enforced by the story of the old woman who was left on the ice to die because she could not contribute to her society.

"The book word for this is 'senicide,' a tough word for fifth-graders, but they got it. They approved and defended abandonment of the old woman. At this point I deviated from the manual and asked one of the children what he could call this act in terms of his own culture. He gulped and answered, 'murder.' (I was reprimanded for infusing irrelevant questions into the program.)

"Defenders of MACOS insist that the teaching materials give children an opportunity to compare different life styles, to become tolerant of other moral values. The defenders never mention that 10-year-olds have not studied Western civilization, and have no formal training in the history, technology, or social structure of their own world. The only moral values children in MACOS are taught are the moral values of a primitive, nearly extinct tribe — and those of the baboon.

"In terms of tax dollars, the price for MACOS, thus far, is \$6.5 million. What is the price in terms of the child of our future?"

c. 1975, Washington Star Syndicate Inc.

## 25 years ago

Pvt. Jackie D. Coutts ... has reported to Lackland AFB ... to begin the AF basic airman indoctrination course.

## 40 years ago

Establishment of an auxiliary transient shelter unit in the 900 block on East Third street was announced Tuesday by R. J. Turner, supervisor of the local bureau. Crowded conditions in the bureau at Fifth street and Lamine avenue made the move necessary, Turner said.

## 95 years ago

The shady trees of Sedalia look beautiful, and the yards on Broadway are charming.

## Comment

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## Symington's move opens up the field

Now it develops that Missouri will have a wide-open Senate race next year, something you don't see very often.

Sen. Stuart Symington made this a certainty Tuesday when he announced that he will not seek re-election in 1976. The 73-year-old Democrat had up to now been expected to go for another term, which would have been his fifth.

Main interest will center on the Democratic primary, where no shortage of candidates is assured. Former Gov. Warren E. Hearnes has already filed for the seat, and he will have plenty of company.

Symington's son, Rep. James Symington of the second district, is considered almost a certainty to run, and would presumably enjoy the advantage of inheriting his father's political organization, which is rather formidable, not to mention a name that is a proven vote-getter.

Another Democrat, Rep. Jerry Litton of the sixth district, may well throw his hat into the ring. It has been clear that Litton's

dazzling public relations machinery has been grooming him for better things for some time now.

Former Jackson County prosecuting attorney Joseph Teasdale, who has already filed, can be expected to bring up the rear as an also-ran.

Keep your eye on young Symington and Litton. Hearnes, unless he can somehow overcome the disadvantage caused by the federal grand jury probe of his affairs as governor, will probably run a poor third. But Hearnes is a resourceful politician, and it's still too early to count him out.

The Republicans will have a much easier time of it with Attorney General John Danforth, an all-but-certain candidate. Danforth nearly unseated Symington in 1970, and is expected to run strong in '76.

Now that Senator Symington will be out of the way, meaning Danforth will not have to run again against a powerful incumbent, his announcement should be official before too long.



GAME PLAN

## Merry-go-round

## Schools under thumb of Chile's generals



By JACK ANDERSON with Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — It has been our lot to chronicle the tragedy of Chile.

In 1972, we published secret documents which provided the CIA and ITT had plotted together to block the late Salvador Allende from coming to power.

But Chile had such strong democratic traditions that Allende, although a Marxist, couldn't be stopped from assuming the presidency because he had more votes than any other candidate.

Thereafter, the CIA and ITT sought to undermine the Allende regime, we reported, by sabotaging the Chilean economy. We quoted from secret U.S. embassy cables of a "sharpening economic crisis."

Still, the embassy advised Washington: "Chileans have great ability to rush to the brink, embrace each other and back off. With Russian and East European help some debt relief ... and some breaks, China just might be able to rock along for some time to come."

Chile's democratic traditions, we reported, should keep the army at bay. Again we quoted the embassy's secret cables: "Prospects of military intervention for foreseeable future are extremely small."

The embassy was wrong. The generals moved against Allende, left him dead in the presidential palace and imposed a military dictatorship upon Chile.

This most democratic of South American nations suddenly was transformed into a harsh police state. Evidence was smuggled to us of widespread political arrests and torturing.

Now we have received even more depressing documents smuggled out of Chile by our sources — as before, at great risk to themselves and their families.

These documents show that the military

junta has taken over the nation's schools, has forced upon them a curriculum of "national security" studies has assigned soldiers to monitor the classrooms and has organized a secret spy system to check upon the loyalty of students, teachers and administrators.

Our own National Education Association, which has been keeping track of teacher oppression in Chile, reports that hundreds of professional educators have been dismissed and jailed. Some of them, according to reliable reports, have been cruelly tortured.

We have obtained copies of a "denunciation" form, which the junta has distributed to students and teachers for use in reporting on the attitudes and behavior of their peers.

The form asks for a "history" of the subject, including information that would help at "the interrogatory." Persons filling out the form are asked to "evaluate" their colleagues on a scale of one to 10 for "fantasticism," "audacity," "dangerousness," and "possibilities of a re-education."

The smuggled documents also include a memo from the education minister to the defense minister, discussing "the teaching of national security courses in educational institutions."

The memo instructs the defense minister to appoint "advisers to the schools" and to name "the officers who will be appointed to teach the classes."

At the university level, according to the memo, students will receive 96 hours of "theoretical" and "practical" instruction. The theoretical program covers such subjects as "internal threats," "subversion," "political deviations" and "political and ideological aggression."

The practical program consists of "attendance in a national defense department installation or unit for a minimum period of three months."

Not only students but their parents are summoned to the high schools to attend meetings. "Failure to attend," warns one notice, "will be more than sufficient reason to proceed with your immediate arrest."

Footnote: The Chilean embassy in Washington explained to us that the "denunciation" forms, used by students and teachers to report derogatory information on one another, were circulated immediately after the military dictatorship seized power to uncover the radicals on the campuses. Our own sources report, on the contrary, that the forms were still in use just a couple of months ago. The Chilean embassy offered no comment on the other charges.

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**WATCH ON WASTE** — Tall, tweedy Secretary of the Interior Rogers C.B. Morton, the country squire from Maryland's eastern shore, likes to fly around in chartered airplanes and drive around in rented limousines. The taxpayers, of course, are stuck with the bills.

We have had access to his travel vouchers, which show he has chartered private planes to fly as far as Alaska and as near as his Easton, Md., home. A single charter flight to Alaska cost the taxpayers \$21,868.

When Morton arrives at an airport, he doesn't hail a cab like lesser passengers. He rents a Cadillac to drive him around. His vouchers show he often spends more than \$200 for limousine service on a single trip.

By an interesting coincidence, Morton did most of this traveling during the 1972 presidential election. He ran up a whopping \$121,682 in travel bills in 1972, compared to only \$43,982 the following nonpolitical year.

All of these bills, of course, were charged to the taxpayers.



"WELL! Apparently the anti-smoking movement is becoming MILITANT!"

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## Chicago 101, Kansas City- Omaha 89

# Bulls oust KC-O Kings from NBA playoffs

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Rookie Bob Wilson of the Chicago Bulls relaxed in the dressing room of the Chicago Bulls with a big smile on his face.

Everyone was talking about Jerry Sloan and Tom Boerwinkle and Bob Love and Norm Van Lier.

Nobody mentioned Wilson, a reserve from Wichita State. Still, he may have been the one

who ignited the Bulls to a 101-89 victory over the Cinderella Kansas City Omaha Kings Wednesday night. The triumph gave the Bulls the Western Conference semifinal series four games to two in the National Basketball Association playoffs.

"We came ready to play tonight," said Wilson, who came off the bench in the second quarter and made six

straight points that pulled the Bulls from behind and gave them a five-point lead. The Kings never got closer than four points thereafter. "Nobody wanted to go back to Chicago for the seventh game ... not us, that is."

Wilson did much the same thing in Sunday's 104-77 rout of the Kings in Chicago, making 10 points.

The series finale was punctuated with fisticuffs and a five-minute delay when many of the 12,445 spectators showered the floor with ice, cups and cans of deodorant distributed outside the arena.

During the delay, Van Lier led the Bulls en masse into the stands to confront a heckler who threw a deodorant can at the Bulls' bench. The police

moved onto the scene, and order was restored without the players reaching the spectator.

Bulls Coach Dick Motta cited Boerwinkle's three-point play with one minute, 48 seconds remaining as "the turning point. I knew then we were going to win it."

Boerwinkle's three points opened up a 10-point advantage for the Bulls, who sparked de-

fensively and were fired offensively by the deely one-handed corner shots of Sloan and the great shooting of Love, Sloan, who made 16 points, used every basket to dispell any thoughts the Kings had of taking a sizeable lead early in the game or of catching up after they got behind.

Love and the Kings Nate "Tiny" Archibald, hounded dur-

ing the night by Van Lier, each connected for 26 points.

Phil Johnson of the Kings, the NBA coach of the year, was not nearly as dejected as his squad.

"We played good but they played great," said Johnson. "They forced us out of our offense. Next year ... next year ... I told my players they may think last year's training camp

was hard but wait until this one coming up. I wish we could start it in one week."

Motta summed up the series this way:

"Our guards did the better job defensively. We're the best defensive team in pro basketball. If we play like we did against the Kings, we'll go on to win the NBA championship. This was our toughest series."

## Braves force 7th game with Caps

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Bob McAdoo had a hot hand for Buffalo as the Braves squared their National Basketball Association playoffs with the Washington Capitals Wednesday night.

The series boils down to Game No. 7 Friday night in Landover, Md.

McAdoo scored 37 points, 22 in the first half, to push the Braves past the NBA's winningest regular-season team, 102-96.

McAdoo, the league's most valuable player this season, admitted after the game he as "dead tired." But he kept up the pace anyway.

"I stopped pressing in the fourth quarter," said McAdoo. His effort was supported by

Jim McMillian's 20.

Washington's Phil Chenier, who had scored 19 points before intermission, could manage only six in the second half.

Two playoff games are on tap in the NBA tonight. Houston travels to Boston in an Eastern Conference semifinal series which the Celtics lead 3-1. And the Golden State Warriors take a 3-2 Western Conference semifinal lead into Seattle.

Boston Coach Tommy Heinsohn probably has more than one reason to be glad his series is headed back to the "friendly" confines of Boston Garden.

During Tuesday night's 122-117 victory over the Rockets in Houston, such artifacts as bottles, ice cubes, papers cups, a

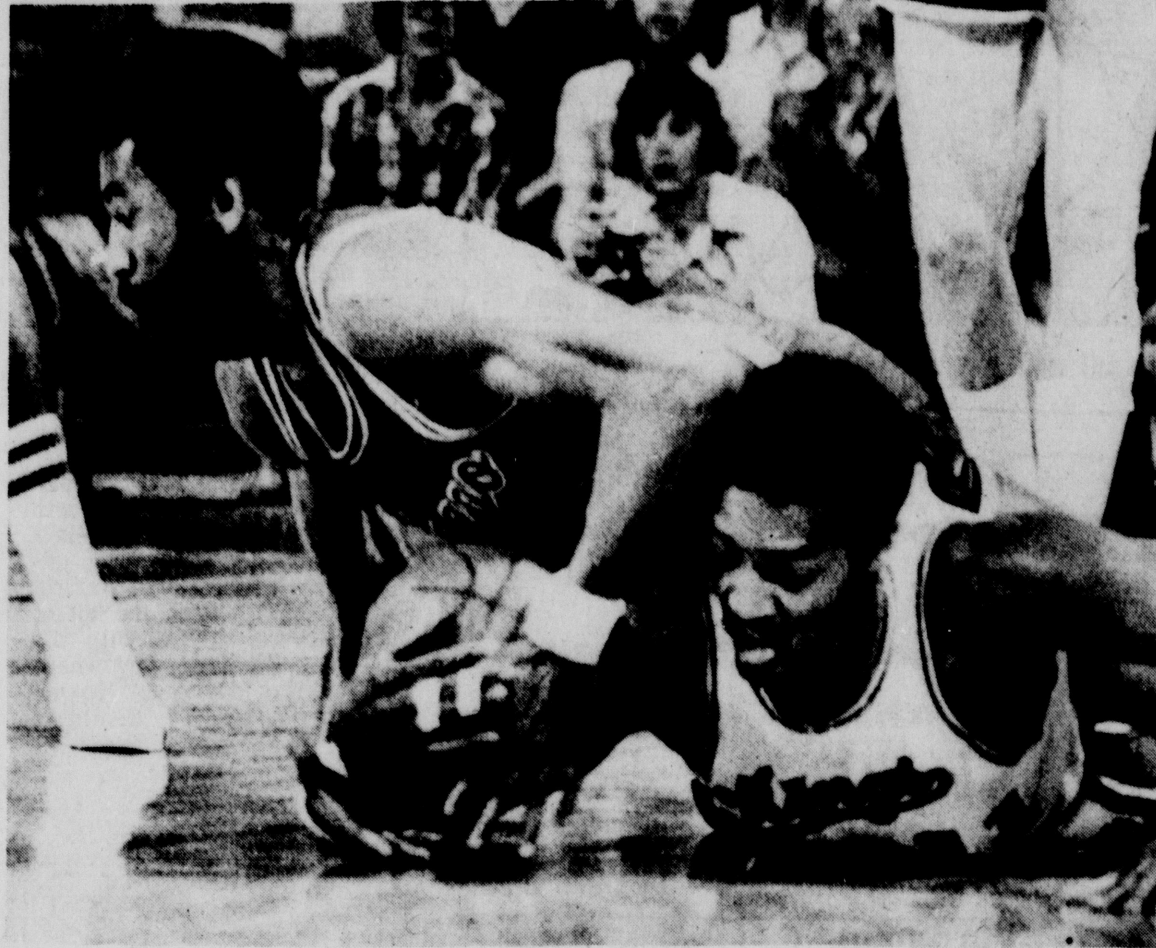
golf ball and even a pair of shoes were rained down on the Celtics.

"For a city that was so gracious in victory, it wasn't very gracious in defeat," Heinsohn said. "It was terrible."

The SuperSonics suffered some injuries in Tuesday's 124-100 loss to Golden State that could prove irksome.

Guard Fred Brown broke the middle finger on his shooting hand, rookie center Tom Burleson aggravated a knee injury and Spencer Haywood complained of an ailing arch.

"Yeah, it's tough," Seattle Coach Bill Russell said, "but we've just got to make more adjustments and get back to where we want to be."



I've got a crush on you

Norm Van Lier (left) of the Chicago Bulls hits the deck with Kansas City-Omaha's Ron Behagen as they wrestle for this first-period loose ball Wednesday night in Kemper Arena.

Van Lier won the battle, and the Bulls went on to win the game, eliminating the Kings from the NBA playoffs. (AP Wirephoto)

## Newcombe wins coin flip over artificial surface

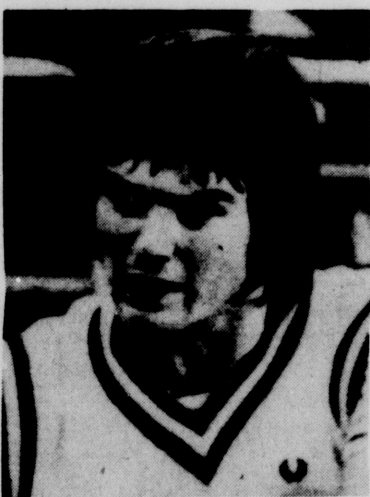
LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Australian John Newcombe won the first skirmish with Jimmy Connors and said today, "We can now forget about that argument and get on with the primary objective, which is to see who is the better tennis player."

A flip of a coin decided the controversy over which artificial surface would be used for Saturday's nationally televised \$850,000 head-on battle.

The coin came up heads so Caesars Palace will use the surface it already has on the floor of the indoor arena and the one on which Newcombe has been practicing.

Connors was noncommittal about the result of the coin flip but had said he could play on any surface.

Asked about the style contrast between his game and



Connors... down one

that of the left-handed American, Newcombe declared, "It hasn't hurt me so far. The last time I played him was Jan. 1 in the Australian Open so he can't

have changed much."

Ranked No. 1 in the world, Connors nevertheless has lost the three matches he's played against the Aussie, but two of those were on grass and only one on an indoor surface.

The 30-year-old Newcombe goes all out in his practice sessions against southpaw Australians Tony Roche and Owen Davidson.

"At Forest Hills or Wimbledon when I walk in the first day I don't expect to be playing my best tennis."

"Here I've got to be playing my best. I don't have any choice."

"So I'm concentrating in practice, almost like I were playing a match."

Both players practiced after the court controversy was settled in Newcombe's favor. If it had been settled the other way, a newer and somewhat slower surface would have been substituted. It could have been to the American's favor since the Aussie features a speedy, powerful serve.

## Co-ed volleyball pairings set for city tournament

First-round pairings for the Sedalia Recreation Department's co-educational volleyball tournament have been announced by City Recreation Director Roscoe Righter.

Missouri Tigers sign Ill. standout

COLUMBIA — Brad Droy, one of the most sought-after cage prospects in the St. Louis area, will attend the University of Missouri on a basketball scholarship. Tiger basketball coach Norm Stewart announced Thursday.

At 6-7 and 195 pounds, Droy compiled an impressive record in both athletics and academics at Triad High School in Troy, Ill. He averaged 32.8 points and 15.8 rebounds as a senior while leading the Knights of Coach Rich Mason to a 17-8 record.

Droy received all-state accolades after both his junior and senior seasons. He also was honored as the St. Louis Globe-Democrat's Basketball Athlete of the Year for 1975.

Play opens Monday night at Convention Hall with the following games scheduled: Wilskinnors vs. McMullin TV, 6:30 p.m.; Guys and Dolls vs. 2-Lazy-2, 6:30 p.m.; Spike Gang vs. Scrubs, 7:40 p.m.; Ramada Inn Highballs vs. Firecrackers, 7:40 p.m.; Lazy 8 vs. Third National Bank, 8:50 p.m.; Foxy Demo's vs. Night Stalkers, 8:50 p.m.

Tuesday's games: Pickups vs. winner of Foxy Demo's-Night Stalkers, 6:30 p.m.; Horney Herd vs. winner of Ramada Inn Highballs-Firecrackers, 6:30 p.m.; Mean Machine vs. Tullis Hall, 7:40 p.m.; Mama's and Poppa's vs. winner of Lazy 8-Third National Bank, 7:40 p.m.; Spartans vs. O'Connor's Demonstrators, 8:50 p.m.

The quarterfinals are scheduled for Wednesday night, while the semifinals and the finals will be played May 1.

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### Hollister fisherman takes tourney lead

KIMBERLING CITY, Mo. (AP) — Don Mead of Hollister, Mo., caught 10 black bass weighing a total of 30 pounds 6 1/2 ounces to take the lead Wednesday after the first round of the Missouri Invitational Bass Tournament.

Otto Rubenhausen of Leavenworth, Kan., is second with 25 pounds 14 ounces and Randy Joubert of Morgan City, La., is third with 22 pounds 8 ounces.

### UNC-Charlotte hires Lee Rose

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Lee Rose, 38, whose basketball teams won 20 or more games in seven of his eight seasons at Transylvania College in Kentucky, has been named head basketball coach and athletic director at the University of North Carolina-Charlotte.

The UNC-Charlotte 49ers had a record of 23-3 last season and 23-4 the season before. Rose inherits a strong nucleus of players from last season.

Rose, whose appointment was announced Wednesday, was given a four-year contract to succeed Bill Foster, who has become head coach at Clemson of the Atlantic Coast Conference.

Rose's teams had a record of 160-57 at Transylvania. He also has been freshman coach at the University of Cincinnati.

### Evert over Casals

AMELIA ISLAND, Fla. — Top-seeded Chris Evert of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., defeated Rosemary Casals of San Francisco 6-1, 6-0 in the opening round of a \$100,000 Women's Tennis Tournament.

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## Major League Leaders

By The Associated Press

American League	National League
BATTING (35 at bats)—Chalk. Cal. 500; Lynn. Bsn. 429	BATTING (35 at bats)—Unser. NY. 426; Monday. Chi. 422
RUNS—Evans. Bsn. 12; R. White. NY. 12; M. Nettles. Cal. 12; Henderson. Chi. 11	RUNS—Wynn. LA. 13; Cardenal. Chi. 12; Unser. NY. 12; Matthews. SF. 12
RUNS BATTED IN—L. May. Bal. 16; Hsieh. Min. 14	RUNS BATTED IN—Evans. Atl. 15; Wynn. LA. 15; Bench. Cin. 13
HITS—Chalk. Cal. 20; Rudi. Oak. 19	HITS—Rose. Cin. 25; Garvey. LA. 25; Morgan. Cin. 22
DOUBLES—Chalk. Cal. 7; Lezcano. Mil. 6	DOUBLES—Monday. Chi. 6; Millan. NY. 6; Bench. Cin. 6; Tied With 5
TRIPLES—Evans. Bsn. 2; Bochte. Cal. 2; Patek. KC. 2; Tied With 1	TRIPLES—R. Andrews. Htn. 2; Garvey. LA. 2; Murcer. SF. 2; Tied With 1
HOME RUNS—L. May. Bal. 4; 8 Tied With 3	HOME RUNS—Evans. Atl. 5; Kingman. NY. 4; Luzinski. Phi. 4; Cey. LA. 4; Wynn. LA. 4
STOLEN BASES—Rivers. Cal. 8; North. Oak. 8; Otis. KC. 7	STOLEN BASES—Cedeno. Htn. 11; Morgan. Cin. 9; Lopes. LA. 9
PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Ryan. Cal. 4-0, 1,000, 2.31 Champ. Mil. 3-0, 1,000, 1.38 Fitzmorris. KC. 3-0, 1,000, 2.00 Blue. Oak. 4-1, 800, 2.88	PITCHING (3 Decisions)—Morton. Atl. 4-0, 1,000, 1.80 McNally. Mon. 3-0, 1,000, 3.19 McIntosh. SD. 3-0, 1,000, 1.09 Sutton. LA. 3-1, 750, 1.96
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# China meet gets OK from NCAA

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Now that it has disposed of its latest squabble with the Amateur Athletic Union, the National Collegiate Athletic Association can tackle an even more pressing problem—money.

Economics formed the sole agenda item for the special NCAA meeting which convened today. Before that, the collegiate body gave the green light to its track and field athletes accompanying the AAU-sponsored team on next month's China tour.

The two ruling bodies had clashed over an NCAA by-law prohibiting competition on outside teams for its athletes.

That hurdle brought AAU officials, led by President Joseph Scalzo, here to confer with the NCAA council. The solution was simple enough. It involved certification of the AAU tour as "a national team." That permitted waiver of the by-law and solved the latest NCAA-AAU crisis.

John Fuzak of Michigan State University, president of the NCAA, hopes it may signal the start of better relations with

the AAU.

"We appreciate the AAU officials coming here to meet with us," said Fuzak. "It was a positive kind of thing and we intend to take positive steps to try and resolve our differences and work on improving communications."

Fuzak said there may be up to a dozen athletes affected by Wednesday's decision, which now clears the way for collegians to go in the AAU tour and still compete in the NCAA championships when they return from China.

But Fuzak warned that NCAA approval did not remove all the problems. "As far as NCAA rules are concerned, college athletes may compete," he said. "But there are still conference rules and the rules of individual institutions to consider. This decision does not resolve those rules."

"In some cases, conference and individual institution rules are more restrictive than those of the NCAA. I can't say what the likelihood might be of ac-

ademic people objecting to athletes missing final exams. All the consequences must be considered by the individual athletes."

The consequences of the nation's dollar crunch is what begins concerning delegates today.

Stanley Marshall of South Dakota State University, secretary-treasurer of the NCAA, said he expected the 80 or so conference delegates to produce positive steps in increasing revenues and cutting costs for athletic programs.

"The time is right," said Marshall. "I will be bitterly disappointed if we don't come up with specific recommendations."

Cost-cutting was discussed at the NCAA's January convention but no substantial action was taken.

"We're all reluctant to bite the bullet until we have to," Marshall said. "That's human nature. But things haven't gotten better since the convention."

# Kentucky Colonels jump in front of Spirits, 2-0

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Hubie Brown sounded like a coach whose team was trailing instead of leading in the American Basketball Association Eastern Division final playoffs.

After his Kentucky Colonels put away the Spirits of St. Louis 108-103 Wednesday night, Brown pointed out, "We were getting beaten on the second shots and the fast breaks."

"And if it hadn't been for Ted McClain," he continued, "the outcome might have been different. He made a lot of things happen."

McClain, playing with four stitches in his left arm, con-

nected for 24 points in holding off the Spirits, who now trail 2-0 in the best-of-seven series. Action resumes Friday in St. Louis.

In the Western Conference final playoffs, Denver is at Indiana tonight for Game 3 with the best-of-seven series tied 1-1.

Although Marvin Barnes of St. Louis penetrated the Colonels' defense for 43 points, Brown didn't seem upset.

"If a guy takes 38 shots at the basket, there's no way you're gonna hold him under 30 points if he's any kind of a basketball player," Brown said. "That doesn't bother us that he scored 43 points."

For Barnes, the Rookie of the Year in the ABA, it was his best performance since the night he hit 41 against New York in the playoff series against the Nets.

His output, plus 18 points contributed by Maurice Lucas and 26 from Freddie Lewis made up St. Louis' scoring punch.

"I don't care if we have balanced scoring or not," said Spirits' Coach Bob MacKinnon. "I don't care how we get the points, as long as we get more than the other team."

Artis Gilmore topped the Colonels with 23 points and Louie Dampier added 17.

# N.Y. Islanders looking for aid from Lady Luck

UNIONDALE, N.Y. (AP) — If Lady Luck takes sides in the National Hockey League, there's a chance ... just a

chance, mind you ... that she's a New York Islander fan.

And if she doesn't blanch when they bring home their NHL quarter-final series against Pittsburgh, the Islanders will have an opportunity to make history.

After falling behind three games to none in the best-of-seven Stanley Cup series, the Islanders came back with a 3-1 victory here Sunday and a 4-2 victory Tuesday at Pittsburgh, where the Islanders had never won in their three-year NHL history.

If they tie it up 3-3 here, they go back to Pittsburgh for the deciding game Saturday with a chance to become the first team to win the last four games of a Stanley Cup series since Toronto did it in 1942 against Detroit.

"Hey, luck has to enter into it no matter how good you are or you don't survive in this league," says Glenn Resch, who took over the Islanders' netminding duties from Bill

Smith in game No. 4.

And, about Tuesday's victory at Pittsburgh, Resch said: "First, we played well. Second, Lady Luck's coming to New York."

Luck notwithstanding, Penguins' Coach Marc Boileau looked elsewhere to explain the Islanders' resurgence.

"Our guys were talking about the next series," Boileau said. "And when you do that, you're in trouble."

The winner of this series plays Philadelphia, which eliminated Toronto in four straight.

**Kewpies, Tigers bow to weather**

COLUMBIA — Inclement weather here Wednesday forced postponement of the Smith-Cotton, Columbia Hickmah boys golf and tennis matches.

No rescheduled dates have been set, according to Smith-Cotton athletic officials.

Bowlerettes			Sedalia Democrat		
Team	Won	Lost	50 1/2	77 1/2	
Southwest Cycle	86	58			
Bunn Real Estate	85 1/2	50 1/2			
U. S. Rents It	85	51			
Luzier	84	52			
Stylarama	80	56			
Hamilton Ins. Co.	78 1/2	57 1/2			
Thriftway	70	66			
Clell Furnell	58 1/2	77 1/2			
Flat Creek Bpst. Ch.	52 1/2	83 1/2			
High Team 30: Southwest Cycle, 2321; 2nd: Stylarama, 2266. High Team 10: Southwest Cycle, 812; 2nd: Stylarama, 801.					
Women's High 30: Dorothy Dority, 558; 2nd: Martha Doogs, 505. Women's High 10: Dorothy Dority, 214; 2nd: Martha Doogs, 186.					
C & I League					
Team	Won	Lost			
Falstaff	84 1/2	51 1/2			
Sedalia Supply	83 1/2	52 1/2			
VW Sedalia	83	53			
Ed's Standard	69 1/2	66 1/2			
Cramer Roofers	66	70			
Collins Campers	65	71			
Cash Hardware	62 1/2	73 1/2			
State Fair Merc.	30	106			
High Team 30: Volkswagen, 3036; 2nd: Ed's Standard, 2983. High Team 10: Sedalia Supply, 1049; 2nd: Volkswagen, 1030.					
Men's High 30: 'Chip' Thompson, 668; 2nd: Richard Green, 605. Men's High 10: 'Chip' Thompson, 244; 2nd: C. Thompson, 218.					
Broadway Owls					
Team	Won	Lost			
Jeans Mkt.	87	41			
Collins Real Est.	80 1/2	47 1/2			
Swifts	78	50			
Schultz	58 1/2	69 1/2			
Union Savings	55 1/2	72 1/2			
Collins Const.	53	75			

Team			Sedalia Democrat		
Team	Won	Lost	50 1/2	77 1/2	
Farmers Bank Lincoln	90	50			
V.F.W.	89	51			
Parkhurst Mfg. Co.	80	60			
Bill Greer Mtrs.	79	61			
Clark Const. Co.	66	74			
Knights of Columbus	56	84			
Panhandle Eastern	55	85			
Dicks Honda	45	95			
High Team 30: Farmers Bank, 3053; 2nd: V.F.W., 2966. High Team 10: Farmers Bank, 1048; 2nd: Farmers Bank, 1028.					
Men's High 30: B. Abney, 638; 2nd: Steve Emo, 608. Men's High 10: Steve Emo, 232; 2nd: B. Abney, 225.					
Streamliners (Final)					
Team	Won	Lost			
KDRO Radio	87	53			
Mid-Mo Datsun	85 1/2	54 1/2			
Bdwy Homes, Inc.	78	62			
Falstaff Beer	72	68			
Mo. Pub. Serv.	70	70			
3rd Natl. Bank	67	73			
Busch Bav. Beer	55 1/2	84 1/2			
Permaneer	45	95			
High Team 30: Broadway Homes, 2922; 2nd: Mo. Public Service, 2898. High Team 10: Mid-Mo Datsun, 1039; 2nd: Mo. Public Service, 1004.					
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# Thinclads capture 2 of 3

Sedalia Smith-Cotton outscored Marshall in a freshman boys track meet Wednesday afternoon at Jennie Jaynes Stadium, 68-49.

A sweep in the shot put aided Smith-Cotton in the win. John Goodwin won the event with a throw of 43-1 1/4. Following Goodwin were teammates Raymond McNeiley and David Braverman.

Brian Buckner and David Dawson provided Smith-Cotton with its other first-place finishes. Buckner won the 100-yard dash, while Dawson brought home a first in the pole vaults.

The other Tigers' first came in the 440-yard relay. In the eighth-grade competition, Sedalia squeezed past Marshall, 57 and two-thirds to 51 and one-third. Marshall's seventh-graders salvaged their division, 56-53.

# Major League Standings

American League					National League						
	East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB		East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Boston		7	5	.583		Chicago		8	4	.667	
Milwaukee		7	5	.583		New York		6	6	.500	2
Baltimore		5	5	.500	1	Philadelphia		6	6	.500	2
Detroit		5	5	.500	1	St. Louis		6	7	.462	2½
Cleveland		4	5	.444	1½	Pittsburgh		5	6	.455	2½
New York		5	8	.385	2½	Montreal		5	7	.417	3
West						West					
Kansas City		9	4	.692	—	San Diego		9	4	.692	—
Oakland		10	5	.667	—	Atlanta		9	7	.563	1½
California		7	6	.538	2	S. Francisco		8	7	.533	2
Minnesota		6	8	.429	3½	Los Angeles		8	8	.500	2½
Texas		5	9	.357	4½	Cincinnati		8	9	.471	3
Chicago		4	9	.308	5	Houston		5	12	.294	6

Wednesday's Results

Cleveland 4, Detroit 3

Boston 11, New York 7

Chicago at Minnesota, ppd.

wet grounds

Milwaukee 6, Baltimore 5

California 4, Texas 1

Oakland 3, Kansas City 2

Thursday's games

Kansas City (Splitteroff 1-1) at Oakland (Abbott 1-0)

Chicago (Wood 0-4) at Minnesota (Blyleven 2-1) (n)

Texas (Brown 0-1) at California (Singer 1-1) (n)

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Milwaukee at New York (n)

Chicago at Kansas City (n)

Cleveland at Baltimore (n)

Boston at Detroit (n)

Oakland at California (n)

Only games scheduled

Atlanta 5, Cincinnati 4, 11 innings

San Diego 7, Los Angeles 1

Philadelphia (Lomborg 1-0) at Chicago (Stone 2-0)

Cincinnati (Billingham 0-1) at Atlanta (Nieker 1-1) (n)

San Francisco (Barr 1-1) at Houston (Richard 1-1) (n)

Los Angeles (Rhoden 0-0) at San Diego (Freisleben 1-1) (n)

Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

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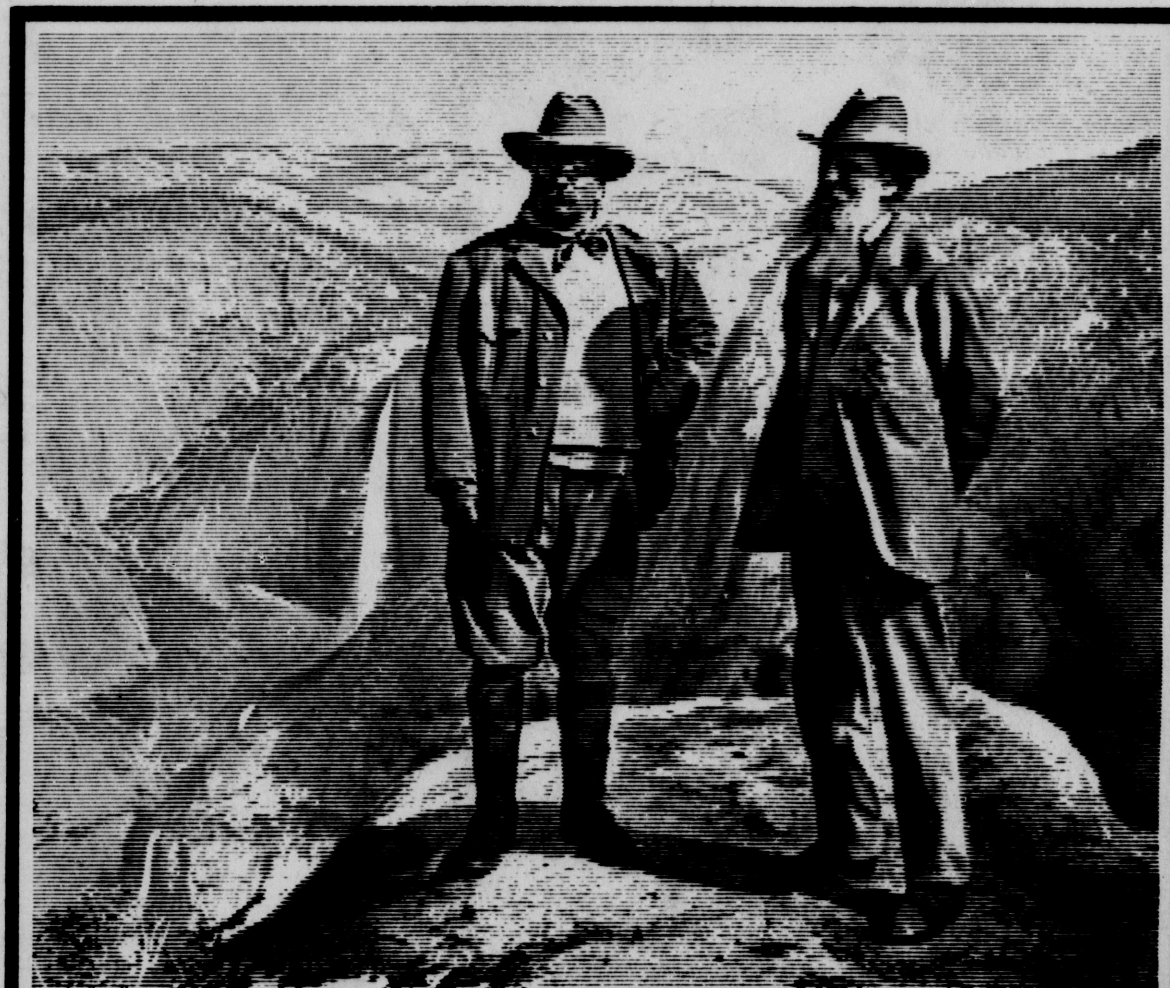
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**TRUCK & TRACTOR REPAIR SERVICE**  
Gasoline and Diesel  
Qualified Mechanics  
Semi-Trailer repairs a specialty!  
**HOWARD TRUCK & EQUIPMENT**  
3110 W. Broadway Sedalia  
826-3571

**17—Wanted—Automotive**  
WILL BUY OLD or late model junk cars. \$15 and up. 827-3978.

**18—Business Services Offered**  
CUSTOM SLAUGHTERING and processing, no waiting, also custom curing of hams and bacon. Roseland Meats, 826-6130, 2506 West Main, Sedalia.

SUPCOVERS, UPHOLSTERING, caning, draperies, restyling. John Miller's Upholstering, 613 South Engineer. No phone service.

CREE'S TREE SERVICE: Spraying, trimming, removing trees. Liability — Workman's compensation. 827-1860, 519 West 5th.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIR and Service. Authorized Elva-White Dealer. Rudisill Fabrics, Thompson Hills. 827-0633.

SEPTIC TANK CLEANING, portable sanitary units for rent. D. D. Esser, Sedalia, Route 6. 826-8622.

ELECTRIC MOTOR REPAIRS. All makes. Work guaranteed. Cole and Cooper Electric, 218 South Kentucky.

PICKUP COVERS new and used, camper repairing, mobile home roof sealing, call 826-8259.

WILL CLEAN YOUR garage, attic, basement for junk in your, 827-1543 or 827-1000 anytime.

CUSTOM BULLDOZING. All types, soil conservation. 563-3965, Alex Emig.

**WATER WELL DRILLING**  
Two new rotary drills.  
Serving this area since 1915.  
**W. C. SCHNELL & SONS**  
BOONVILLE, MO.  
Call collect 882-5682 or 882-4777

## 19—Building and Contracting

HOME IMPROVEMENTS: remodeling, roofing, painting, paneling, room additions, garage, patios, reasonable. Bob Hawkins. 826-8318.

MARRIOTT'S CONSTRUCTION. High-load and Backhoe Work. Chain trenching 4 inch to 16 inch. Dump truck service. Reasonable Rates. Business 826-1476. Home 816-343-5634.

JACKSON-WISKUR for all concrete work: walls, foundations, patios, sidewalks, all flat work. 826-0792, 826-2173.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS — Carpenter work, siding, roofing, painting, concrete work. Reasonable. Roy Keele, 826-8759.

PAINTING AND CARPENTER work. \$3.50 per hour. All jobs welcome. 827-1540 or 826-1173 anytime.

CERAMIC TILE INSTALLER: 20 years experience. Free estimates. Also, wide selection of tile. Call 827-0693.

CEMENT WORK basement water proofing, plastering, chimney work, fireplaces, retaining walls. 826-0787 or 826-9254.

CONCRETE WORK, all kinds, foundation, driveway, sidewalk, patios, remodeling, roofing, painting, gutting, chimney repair. 826-5783.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS remodeling, roofing, additions, remodels. Work guaranteed. Free estimates. Call 826-6994.

ROOM ADDITIONS, ceilings lowered, foundation work, panelings, cabinets, good references, help with financing, call 826-2526.

CONCRETE WORK, driveways, sidewalks, patios, chimneys tuck pointed. Free estimates. 826-8140.

## 25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

FREE REMOVAL fresh dead animals. Stover Pet Foods, Inc. 314-377-4455.

## 26—Painting, Papering, Decorating

PAINTING AND REDECORATING: Commercial and residential. Reasonable rates. 826-6673.

PAPERING, PAINTING, carpenter work, panelings, custom cabinets, free estimates, call 827-0800.

HOUSE PAINTING, carpenter work, all work guaranteed. Call anytime. Call 826-0133 or 826-4167.

## 32—Help Wanted—Female

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for 4 representatives, full or part time, earn extra money or start a permanent career. For interview call 826-0183 or 826-9481.

WAITRESS WANTED, full time position, benefits, apply in person only. Pit Stop Cafe, South 65 Highway. Sedalia. No experience necessary.

WANTED: PART-TIME evening cook, will train. Old Missouri Homestead. Call 826-9768 after 4 p.m.

NEED 3 ATTRACTIVE young ladies over 21 for part time, apply in person after 4pm, at Maxine's.

WANTED: COOK for steam table and sandwiches. Apply Beverly's Restaurant, 1705 West Broadway.

2 WAITRESSES WANTED: Apply in person, Missouri Bowl, 105 South Missouri, after 2:30 p.m.

## 33—Help Wanted—Male

PREFER SENIOR person with ability to manage a retail business, full time. Must be in good health, dependable, honest with good background and references. If you qualify, send resume to Box 694, Sedalia Democrat.

MARRIED MAN to work on farm, experience with livestock preferred, new house. No replies answered without references. Write Chas. L. Belcher, Rural Route 4, Carrollton, Missouri 64633.

SEDALIA LITTLE LEAGUE needs umpires for 1975 season. Anyone interested please call 826-8086.

DEPENDABLE MAN for yard work, two days a week. Equipment furnished. 826-9198.

NEED MECHANIC with own tools, 40 hour week, weekdays 826-1286, Saturday or Sunday 826-8097.

**33-A—Salesmen Wanted**  
CAREER OPPORTUNITY Mutual of Omaha and United of Omaha, call 827-1804. Equal Opportunity M-F Employer, 24 hour recording service.

## 34—Help—Male and Female

HELP WANTED: Challenging position for LPN or RN as 3-11 supervisor. Must have genuine interest in geriatric nursing and supervisory abilities. 5 days a week, paid holidays, vacation, and sick leave. Paid hospitalization program after 3 months of employment. Contact, Lutheran Nursing Home, Concordia, Mo. Phone: 816-463-2267.

SARAH COVENTRY will be interviewing for full or part time employment at the Missouri State Employment Office from 2-4 p.m. April 28th.

RETIRED COUPLE: Caretaker for private place at Lake of Ozarks, modern house and utilities furnished. No replies answered without references. Write Charles L. Belcher, Rural Route 4, Carrollton, Missouri 64633.

LADIES-MEN: Inflation stretching budget to breaking point? 3 or 4 hours a day will bring you a profitable income. For details, write Mail Sales Division, Box 10, Watkins Products, Inc., Winona, Minnesota 55987.

COOK NEEDED apply in person, 1800 South Ingram.

## 36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABYSITTING in my home. Prefer ages under three years. 826-9368.

WANTED: TO CARE for elderly people in my home, call 826-8203.

## 37—Situations Wanted—Male

CUSTOM PLOWING and discing, large equipment, will work day or night. Call Loganbill Brothers, 314-378-5195.

COBB'S HAULING SERVICE: We will haul anything from furniture to trash. Call 827-2278 or 827-1239.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS want lawn mowing or other odd jobs. Reasonable. Call 826-5997 after 3:30.

CHRISTIAN BOY WANTS lawn mowing. 826-8222.

## 47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

SUSIE'S POODLE SHOP: Professional all breed grooming. Members National Dog Grooming Association. Affectionate care. 827-2064.

WEBER'S BOARDING KENNELS: Concrete runs inside-out, heated. Registered Stud service — Beagle, Irish Setter. 826-4939.

REGISTERED MALE POINTER, needs good home; also male mixed breed, medium size, very good with children and good watchdog. 826-0914.

DEL-J-RAY BOARDING KENNELS: Grooming, boarding, reservations 8-7. Painters, Britany dogs for sale. Closed Tuesday. 826-2086.

AKC REGISTERED miniature Screwtail Boston terriers, 8 weeks old, one male, one female. \$75. 826-0509.

DONNA'S POODLE SHOP Monday thru Saturday, call for appointments 827-1002.

DEHAVEN'S TROPICAL Fish, 710 West 16th. 826-5167. Tropical and marine fish. Full line of supplies.

IRISH SETTER PUPPIES 6 weeks old, excellent hunting stock, AKC and FDSB registered, \$60. 826-4939.

FOR SALE: AKC Registered German Shepherd pups, \$50, call 826-4958.

THE DOG HOUSE: 116 West 16th. Grooming, Bathing, Pets and Supplies. 827-1941.

ONE FEMALE AND ONE male Cock-a-poo free. 826-8026.

## 48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

REGISTERED ANGUS BULLS: Jingo, Emulous, Revolution bloodlines. Charles Blum, Sedalia 826-4741.

YORKSHIRE BOARS and gilts, purebred, breeding age, 4 1/2 miles southwest Iowa. Call 285-3369, John Ficken.

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**51—Articles for Sale**

GOOD, USED REFRIGERATORS, Stoves — Dinettes — Cabinets — Washers — Dryers — Sofas — Chairs — Tables — Beds — Chests — Dressers — Antiques, collectibles Cook's, 16th & Missouri.

**CB RADIOS**  
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 Major repair facility for all makes of radios.  
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**22" x 32" x .010"**  
 Suitable for flashing insulating and many other uses.  
**25' Each**  
 Call at:  
**Sedalia Democrat**

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**Odds and Ends**  
 Space Saver Recliner, gold, reg. \$139.95 for \$78.4 only.  
 4 Piece Bedroom Suite, slightly damaged, reg. \$199.95 for \$139.00, 2 only.  
 Night Stand, walnut veneer, \$52.95 for \$29.00, 1 only.  
 Modern Sofa, 3 cushion, #6186, reg. \$259.95 for \$194.00, 1 only.  
 Two piece sofa & chair, gold, reg. \$299.95 for \$239.00, 1 only.  
 5 Piece Dinette with leaf, \$119.95 for \$89.00, 2 only.  
 9x12 room size carpet, \$48.00 for \$39.00, 11 only.  
**TEMPO**

**51-C—Antiques**

SQUARE, SOLID OAK antique elephant leg dining room table with 4 matching chairs and 3 leaves, 826-8020 after 5:30 pm weekdays.

**52—Boats and Accessories**

CHRYSLER SALES Service — Motors — Trailers — Boats — and Fiberglass Repair — Bob's — and, South 65, Junction V.

**53—Building Materials**

1X6 WOOD FENCING, No. 2 and btr. Furnell Lumber, 2200 West Main, 826-3613.

PENTA TREATED — 4x6, ideal for pole barns. Furnell Lumber Co. 2200 West Main, 826-3613.

ROAD ROCK all sizes and kinds. Dial 826-7771. Howard Quarries.

CREEK GRAVEL delivered, call 826-5051.

**55-A—Farm Equipment**

A. C. BALER, good endless belts, clean, ready to run, \$750. A Farmall with 6 foot mower, straight original, \$595. Good 3 point John Deere 246 planter, \$165. 8 x 18 triple axle trailer-electric brakes. Never used, \$1,575. Olson metal cutting bandsaw. Like new condition, \$270. Rotary mower, only fits G.A.C., \$135. Skidmore, Knob Noster, 747-6679.

FOR SALE — 9N Ford Tractor, Phone 826-1937 or 826-4470 after 6 p.m.

WANTED: MODEL 30, John Deere pull type combine. 343-5403.

**MO. VALLEY SALES, Inc.**  
 Sedalia, Mo.  
 Located East Hiway 50 across from airport.  
 Farm sprayers and parts. 200 gal. side mounts, 300 gal. trailer, 200 gal. 3 point presently in stock.  
**Phone 826-3850**

**56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers**

WANTED: CORN OR MILO pay top prices, Harold LaRue, call 826-9246.

MIXED GRASS HAY, round bales, \$1.10. Frank Wagner, 826-8161.

**62—Musical Merchandise**

CONN VALVE trombone, King French horn, like new, call 826-4665.

WURLITZER Spinnet Piano. 827-3293.

**NEW KIMBALL PIANO**  
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**66—Wanted—To Buy**

WANTED TO BUY large safe, suitable for store. Phone 827-2904.

**66—Wanted—To Buy**

WE PAY CASH FOR DIAMONDS and estate jewelry. Confidential service. Bichsel Jewelry, 217 South Ohio Sedalia.

**CASH BUYER FOR ESTATE**  
 household sell out, call 1-417-644-2416 before 6 a.m. or 826-1472 any time.

WE BUY A PIECE or a complete house full of furniture. Ray's Bargain Center, 826-9132.

**67—Rooms With Board**

WILL PROVIDE ROOM and board for elderly ladies. Call 366-4286 for information.

**69-A—House Trailers for Rent**

TRAILER FOR RENT: 12 x 64, nicely furnished, clean, see to appreciate. \$135 plus deposit. 826-7089.

12 x 70 VERY NICE wall-wall carpet, two baths, two large bedrooms, air-conditioned, skirted, tied down. Day 827-2973. Night 826-4397.

12 x 70 MOBILE HOME 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, furnished with water and garbage, \$160 month. 827-2260 after 5 p.m.

2 BEDROOM, FURNISHED, mobile home for rent or trailer spaces, Wilson Trailer Court, 827-1634.

**69-C—House Trailer Space for Rent**

SUMMER'S ALMOST HERE. Move to Heritage Village Mobile Home Park and enjoy swimming. Nice lots, patios, clubhouse, laundry facilities. Play area for children. 826-6409.

SPACE WITH SHADE, patios, water, trash pickup, storm cellar, \$35 month, adults, no dogs. 827-2378.

PRIVATE: trailer space, 2 miles East of Sedalia, water furnished., \$30. 827-0635.

TWO MONTHS FREE Large lots, concrete pads, water and trash paid \$30.00 a month. 826-1338.

COUNTRY LOCATION One acre lot, garden spot, blacktop near Smithton. Single or double wide. 826-4926.

**74—Apartments and Flats**

SOMERSET APARTMENTS, Sedalia's finest apartment complex, one bedroom \$130, two bedroom \$150. West 50 Highway at Ruth Ann Drive.

**74—Apartments and Flats**

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, down town area, exceptionally clean, exterminated, carpeted, paneled, some utilities, references, deposit 826-2992.

NEW DUPLEX, 3501 and 3503 South Grand, 2 bedrooms, attached garage, air-conditioning, built-in stove, \$175 month, references required. 826-9190.

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NEW STOVE AND refrigerator freezer, remodeled 4 rooms, drapes, carpeted, \$120, deposit, call 826-5496.

2 ROOM FURNISHED apartment, \$90, utilities paid, paneled, carpeted, bath, young couples, single girls. 826-7555.

NICE 3 ROOMS, FURNISHED downstairs, carpet, utilities, no pets, deposit, references, single, 343-5480 after 5 p.m.

3 ROOM, PRIVATE bath, furnished apartment, Cramers Apartments, 109 1/2 East 2nd, 826-8661.

THREE ROOMS down, furnished, close-in, utilities paid. Phone 826-8770 or 826-4262.

2 ROOMS FURNISHED, utilities paid, close-in, one adult, \$58. 826-3386.

**SEDALIA'S FINEST APARTMENTS**  
 Swimming pool air-conditioned, completely carpeted, drapes, all-electric kitchen apartment available.  
**TOWNHOUSE MANOR**  
 10th and State Fair Blvd.

2 BEDROOM furnished apartment, utilities included, with central air, rent \$155.

2ND FLOOR APARTMENT. Five large rooms with two bedrooms. Good close in location. Adults only.

SEVERAL two bedroom duplexes, unfurnished, \$69 per month.

CLOSE-IN — 2 bedroom furnished adults only.  
**DONNOHUE LOAN & INVESTMENT COMPANY**  
 410 S. Ohio 826-0600

**74—Apartments and Flats**

2-3 ROOM APARTMENTS furnished, utilities paid, \$100 and deposit, call 826-1977.

**75-D—Duplex for Rent**

UTILITIES, STOVE and refrigerator furnished, deposit required. No pets. Call 826-5749 after 6 p.m.

**77—Houses for Rent**

FOR RENT OR SALE — House and 15 lots in Green Ridge. Will carry part of loan or will trade for some livestock, machinery or automobile. 527-3655.

3 BEDROOM UNFURNISHED brick bungalow, nice corner, Southwest, \$160 plus deposit, reference, available now, 826-6471.

MODERN COTTAGE in country, furnished or unfurnished, garden spot. 826-5711.

3 BEDROOM HOUSE, attached garage, deposit required. Call 826-9975.

TWO BEDROOM HOME deposit required. 568-3593 after 6 P.M.

**79—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Rent**


LAKE OF OZARKS — 2 bedroom, air-conditioned, carpeted, covered dock, Chimney Cove, 816-668-4941 or 314-374-7004.

**81—Wanted To Rent**

FARM FAMILY interested in renting nice cottage on Lake of Ozarks for season. 816-879-2175.

**84—Houses for Sale**

**OPEN HOUSE**  
**THURSDAY, APRIL 24th, 6-8 PM**



**1207 EAST 11TH ST.**  
 Look at This, Reduced, 4 bdrm, 1 1/2 baths, Big Country kitchen, 2 lofs, plus 2nd building with basement, 2 car det. garage.

**WAYNE DAVIS REALTY CO.**  
 922 S. LIMIT 826-1937

**83—Farms and Land for Sale**

APPROXIMATELY FOUR ACRES \$5,000, payments, Bud McCown, Georgetown, 826-2947.

**84—Houses for Sale**

BY OWNER: 2 BEDROOM, air-conditioning, inside remodeled, garage, \$8,750. 1206 South Quincy, 827-3041, 827-3724.

4 BEDROOMS, all carpeted, close to all schools, 3 lots, on corner, \$14,000. Call for appointment, 826-3381.

**PRICE REDUCED TO \$14,500.**  
 702 East 18th completely remodeled 2 bedroom ranch new FA furnace, storms, paneled owner will finance. COUNTRY ROADS will take you home to nice but unassuming 2-3 bedroom home, approximately 23 acres. MANY good outbuildings, big pond fenced, ideal for horse operation near town.  
**BARGAIN PRICE for \$5**  
 Conscience about 75% finished 4 bedroom home wooded area, approximately 5 1/2 acres, about 5 1/2 miles out.  
**SHOW-ME REAL ESTATE**  
 John Beatty, Broker  
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**84—Houses for Sale**

NEW HOMES in Brentwood Manor, \$28,500. FHA and GI financing, 7 1/4% interest, no downpayment GI. Display house open, Furnell Construction Co., builder, 3905 South Limit, 827-2230. Nights 826-0674 or 827-0678. Equal Housing Opportunity.

SPACIOUS HOME with income, paneled living, entry, dining has beamed ceiling, hardwood floors, basement, garage, carport, patio, corner lot, 827-1106.

5 ACRES with 3 bedroom home, 3505 South Park, best offer gets it. Inquire Post Office Box 163, Sedalia, Mo.

**UNIMPROVED IN CITY FOR SALE**

Three parcels 300x175, 356x370, 345x350. Each parcel zoned R3, all utilities available, priced right, phone 417-235-6437 or write P.O. Box 371, Monett, Mo. 65708.

**86—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Sale**

**LAKE OZARKS**  
**5.07 ACRES**  
**\$2,995**

Terms—by owner. Prime location, county road frontage. "Giant Oak Trees" one mile from lake. New survey.

CALL COLLECT  
 314-392-7183

**86—Shore, Mountain, Lake for Sale**

5.2 ACRE, SMALL HORSE farm in grass, \$4,995 full price, \$499 full down payment, \$41 per month payment, 60% meadow, level and hilly. Presently in fee-simple grass. Partial new fencing with steel post, new survey, road frontage, ideal location, 2 miles from Lake of Ozarks. Shopping Center near by, no restrictions, must sell, by owner, call collect 314-392-3743.

WATERFRONT LOT, water and electricity in, by Bend, 135 Lake Road 12, 1-FL3 8629.

**89—Wanted—Real Estate**

WANTED TO BUY: 100-200 acres, rough unimproved, within 15 miles Sedalia area. No realtors please. Write Box 695, Care Sedalia Democrat.

**PUBLIC SALE**


We will sell the following located 6 blocks north of DX Station on B.B. Highway in Otterville, on:  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 26th, at 10:00 A.M.**

Westinghouse Console Color TV  
 Westinghouse Automatic Washer  
 Westinghouse Electric Dryer  
 New General Electric Air Conditioner (21,000 BTU)  
 Dinette Set  
 3 Pc. Sectional Sofa  
 Recliner, Twin Beds, Chest  
 Night Stand  
 Blonde Bedroom Set  
 Iron Bedstead  
 Mattress and Box Springs

Coffee Table and End Tables  
 Pole Lamp  
 20" Fan  
 Wood Table  
 Record Player  
 12'x16' Carpet  
 Table Lamps  
 Small Electric Appliances  
 Dishes, Pots and Pans  
 Suitcases, Pictures  
 Misc. Items

Terms: Cash. Nothing removed until settled for.  
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**OUR SPORTS CAR CAME IN FIRST JUST STANDING STILL.**



**The Fiat X1/9. Winner of Motor Trend's 1975 Award for Styling.**

To buy this car for looks alone would be to sell it short. You see, like all Fiats, this mid-engine X1/9 handles exceptionally well. It has a fully-synchromeshed, 4-speed gear box, 4-wheel disc brakes, and all-independent suspension.

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**FIAT**

**The Sedalia Sports Car Club is sponsoring an Autocross this Sunday, April 27 on the Missouri State Fairgrounds Midway.**

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 Oldsmobile - Pontiac - Cadillac - Fiat

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**QUITTING BUSINESS**

**65 Highway & No. Grand Sedalia, Mo.**  
**Saturday, April 26 10:30 A.M.**

Over \$75,000.00 inventory of Lumber, Building Materials and Hardware. Building leased, everything must be sold to the bare walls. Central Auction & Liquidation Service have been contracted to sell piece by piece and in lots to the highest bidder for cash, all sales final.

**OFFICE FURNITURE, FIXTURES & MACHINES**

2 executive desks	2 executive chairs	10 center island counters
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**APPLIANCES & HARDWARE**

Westinghouse range and hoods	Window and door hardware
Westinghouse dishwasher	Lock sets and door closers
Westinghouse dryer	Tee and butt hinges
Westinghouse air conditioner	House numbers and mail boxes
Nutone kitchen and bath vanities	Large stock of carriage and hex bolts
50 marble tops with backsplash and bowls	Lag screws, anchors and lag shields
Ceramic tile and grout	Flat and round head screws
Electric drills and drill bits	Common, finish and casing nails
Assorted hand tools	Masonite nails
Saw blades, files and levels	Drive screws and staples
Cabinet hardware and shelf brackets	Turnbuckles and eye bolts

**BUILDING MATERIALS**

Over 100,000 board feet of white and yellow pine, hemlock, fir, rough cedar	Prefinished wall paneling and trim
Hundreds of sheets of plywood, particle board and pegboard	Birch, pine and mahogany interior and exterior doors
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Aluminum storm windows and doors	
Pre-finished casings and trim	Screen wire and hardware cloth
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	1 lot of Colony paint

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## ESTATE SALE

**SEDALIA, MO.**  
Due to the death of my husband, the late J. Clay Gibson, I will sell the following at 820 S. Vermont in Sedalia on:  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 26, at 1:00 P.M.**

2 Antique twin beds with box springs & mattresses, unusual, nice.  
Antique matching vanity dresser, nice, unusual.  
Antique matching chest of drawers, nice, unusual.  
Antique mantle clock, good.  
Large beveled edge mirror.  
Several other nice mirrors.  
Several figurines on teakwood stands.  
2 Bavarian pottery parrots.  
Italian candy dish, blue glasses, green glasses, vases, etc.  
Cedar chest, sewing cabinet.  
Wicker hamper, acc. table.  
Some bedding, linens, etc.  
Some drapes & curtains.  
Hoover portable automatic washer only 2 yrs. old, nice.  
Hoover portable automatic dryer only 4 months old, nice.  
5 pc. dinette set.  
Gas kitchen range.  
Carrier window air conditioner.  
Chair & ottoman, newly upholstered.  
Recliner chair, acc. chair.  
Overstuffed chair, lawn chairs.  
Step stool, straight chair.  
Hoover upright sweeper.  
Bissell sweeper, vanity stool.  
Elec. fans, elec. heaters, floor lamps, dresser lamps, what-nots, Christmas decorations, etc.  
Metal wardrobe.  
Metal base cabinet.  
Metal clothes hamper.  
Dishes, cooking utensils, elec. appliances, grocery cart, cookbooks, scales, bird bath, garden hose, step ladders, garbage cans, lawn and garden tools, etc.

Terms: Cash. Not responsible for accidents.  
**J. CLAY GIBSON ESTATE**  
Sadie Gibson  
Homan R. Williams, Auctioneer, Sedalia, Phone 826-9036

## PUBLIC SALE

Due to the death of our mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hobbs, we will sell at Public Auction, all personal property, 4 miles South of Arrow Rock on 41, then West 1/4 mile or 5 miles North of I-70 and K Blackwater Jct. to 41 then North 3 miles then West 1/4 mile. Watch for sale signs, on:  
**SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 12:30 P.M.**

U-Minneapolis Moline tractor (power steering and 2 way hydraulic), 10 ft. John Deere disc, 7 ft. Allis Chalmers trailer type mower.  
3 pc. bedroom suite china cabinet and buffet, deep freeze, double door refrigerator, dining room suite, living room suite, Lots  
antiques, 40 Hand quilted quilts, (some new), oak rockers, occasional oak chairs, old weight clock, trunks, kerosene lamps, Lot fruit and jellies.  
This is only partial listing, complete line of good furniture & household goods, some hand & garden tools.

Terms: Cash. Not responsible for accidents.  
Lunch served.  
**AMOS HOBBS' BROTHERS & SISTERS**  
Auctioneers: Lee Cornine, Gary Griffith  
Clerk: Raymond Dollard Cashier: Karen Harvey

## AUCTION

Having sold my farm and moving to town, I will sell at Public Auction the following Furniture and Miscellaneous located 8 miles south of Cole Camp on Highway 8 to AE then 2 miles west, then north 1 1/2 miles. Watch for sale signs.  
**Saturday, April 26, 12:30 P.M.**

**HOUSEHOLD**  
General Electric Refrigerator  
Tappan Gas Range  
Sectional Divan  
Air Conditioner, 2 ton  
TV-Radio-Combination  
Car Rotor & Antenna  
Bed w-springs  
Metal Cabinet  
Warm Morning Gas Heater  
End Tables  
Occasional Chairs  
Pie Safe, antique  
Gas Dryer, Desk  
Wood Stove  
Rugs, 12x7 — 15x15, near new  
Indoor-Outdoor Carpet  
Sweeper — Lamps  
Sew Cases, 3 pcs.  
Sewing Cabinet  
Dress Form; Quilt Pieces  
Drapes — Clock  
Hamart Fan Cooler  
Dining Chairs  
Tubs on rollers, 2  
Railroad Lantern

**CARS**  
1964 Ford, 4 door, air conditioning, good  
1961 Ford, needs some work

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
500 gal. Gas Tank, butane  
Child's Swing Set; Brass Hanes  
Electric Grinders, 4  
Large Vise  
Mercury Outboard Motor  
Fruit Jars; Trailer, 2 wheel  
Small Hog Feeder  
Harrow; Hog Houses  
300 gal. Gas Barrel  
Tractor Seeder  
Lawn Mower  
Wheel Barrow; Porch Swing  
Truck Tires, Tubes, Wheels  
Lot Scrap Iron  
Lot of Tools — Clamps,  
Hooks, Hand Saws, Pinch  
Bars, Crow Bars, Drills, Post  
Mall, Wire Stretchers,  
Fencing Pliers, Electrical  
Cords, Sledge Hammer  
Large Work Bench  
Shot Gun Shell Re-Loader  
Lot of other misc. items

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**VELMA CLEVINGER**  
Tommy Craig & Delbert Holtzen, Aucts. Clerk Furnished

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1971 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE. Fully equipped, vinyl top, 43,000 miles, like new \$3295  
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1971 PONTIAC CATALINA. 4 dr., full power and air, one owner, 17,000 miles. THIS CAR MUST BE SEEN!  
1971 MONTE CARLO. Full power & air, new tires. Immaculate. \$2495  
1972 MUSTANG MACH I. Power & air, like new, must see. \$2895  
1971 MERCURY MARQUIS BROUGHAM. Full power & air, 1-owner, 45,000 miles, SHARP! \$2295  
1973 DODGE DART SWINGER. Full power and air, like new \$2895  
1973 PLYMOUTH FURY GRANDE COUPE. Full power & air, 23,000 miles, Immaculate \$3695  
1970 FORD MAVERICK. Power and air, very clean. \$1295  
1970 CHEVROLET EL CAMINO. V-8 auto., air and power, must see, 57,000 miles IMMACULATE!  
1965 CHEVROLET. 1/2 Ton pick up, 4-speed, clean. \$895

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## ANTIQUE AUCTION!

**Gentry Estate**  
Sedalia, Mo.  
in order to settle the estate of the late Kate T. Gentry, I will sell the following antiques at public auction at 1221 West 3rd Street across from Liberty Park — Sedalia, Mo., on:  
**Monday, April 28 at 12:30 P.M.**

**ANTIQUES**  
Antique walnut etagere w-marble shelf, beautiful.  
4 pc. antique parlor suite  
Antique walnut teardrop table w-marble top  
Antique writing desk, hand carved  
Antique walnut china cabinet w-fruit pulls  
Antique walnut dropleaf dining table  
Antique walnut buffet w-ig. ornate walnut mirror  
Antique walnut server  
6 antique dining chairs  
Antique walnut dressing table w-fruit pulls & lg. ornate mirror  
Carved vanity bench  
Antique walnut washstand w-fruit pulls  
Antique walnut poster bed  
Antique walnut wishbone dresser w-marble insert & fruit pulls  
Antique walnut Jenny Lind bed, complete  
Antique sofa, Several footstools  
Walnut folding screen, hand painted  
5 hand painted pictures, all in antique frames, painted by Betty H. Gentry  
2 antique walnut end tables w-fruit pulls  
1855 Blasius & Sons upright piano  
Cranberry Gone w-Wind Lamp  
Antique walnut dining table w-5 legs  
Antique tables, Chest of drawers  
Dresser w-ig. mirror  
Kitchen table on casters  
Antique picture frames, Odd chairs  
Rocking chair, Occasional chair

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
G. E. refrigerator, across top freezer, extra good  
Signature elec. range, good  
Iron bed, complete, Tubs  
Daiton adding machine  
Maytag wringer washer, good  
Old gas range, Hoover sweeper  
2 rugs, Hooked rugs  
Medicine cabinet  
Aluminum ext. ladder  
Several step ladders  
2 wheel utility cart  
Push lawn mower  
2 lawn chairs, draw knife, adz, hand & garden tools, some dishes, cooking utensils, new hot plate, G. E. radio, floor lamps, curtains, linens, other small items  
NOTE: The Gentry's were one of the first families to settle in Pettis County in the 1800's. Numerous pieces of furniture were brought by this family to Pettis County by wagon train. Many pieces hand carved. This is a rare opportunity to buy some beautiful antique furniture in excellent condition. Plan now to attend this outstanding antique auction.

TERMS: Cash. Not responsible for accidents.  
**James E. Durley, Executor**  
Olen E. Downs and Norman D. Capps, Auctioneers

**LOOK AT THIS, WE GOT CARS AND MORE CARS!**

1972 Pontiac LeMans, 2 Dr. Hardtop. V-8, automatic, all power, 45,00 miles. . . . . \$2395<sup>00</sup>

1974 Thunderbird, all power, factory tape player, 17,000 miles. . . . . \$5500<sup>00</sup>

1973 Mustang Mach I, V-8, automatic, all power, 43,000 miles. . . . . \$2,995<sup>00</sup>

1958 Cherokee 16 Ft. Boat, 90 Mercury motor and trailer . . . . . \$895<sup>00</sup>

1972 Dodge Dart Swinger, V-8, automatic, air and power steering, 43,000 miles. . . . . \$1,995<sup>00</sup>

1968 Oldsmobile Delta 88 4 Door Hardtop. needs a motor. . . . . \$125<sup>00</sup>

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## PUBLIC SALE

As I have sold my home, I will sell the following household goods at auction at 1317 South Lamine, Sedalia, Mo., on  
**FRIDAY, APRIL 25th, at 1:00 P.M.**

GE Refrigerator with cross-top freezer  
Antique dropleaf gateleg table and 5 chairs  
Antique stand table  
Antique kitchen cabinet bottom  
Antique kitchen safe  
Base cabinet  
2 Metal beds, complete  
2 Roll-away beds  
2 pc. living room set  
2 recliners — Platform rocker  
6 High back dining chairs  
2 Table model radios  
2 floor lamps — table lamps

Large dresser  
Electric wall clock  
2 wood chairs  
3 metal lawn chairs  
Metal glider & cushions  
Electrolux sweeper and attachments  
Portable stereo record player with 2 speakers, good  
Wizard 21 inch power mower  
Step ladder; 10 ft. ladder  
Rollaway tub; Sausage grinder  
Electric mantle clock  
Some tools  
Dishes, cooking utensils and a lot of miscellaneous items

Terms: Cash. Not responsible for accidents.  
**NELLIE M. MURRAY**  
Jerry Ondracek, Auct., 826-5016 Pat Brown, Clerk

## PUBLIC AUCTION

**SEDALIA, MO.**  
Due to my health, I will sell my cattle and machinery, also the household goods belonging to my sister, the late Ruby Dexheimer, at public auction, at my farm 1 mile south of Sedalia on Highway 65, then 1/4 mile west. Watch for sale signs on:  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 10:30 A.M.**

**82 HEAD**  
**CATTLE 82**  
Angus Bull, 1 1/2 yrs. old  
2 Black Cows, 3 yrs. old, calves by side  
3 Black Cows, 2 1/2 yrs. old, calves by side  
2 Black Cows, 5 yrs. old, calves by side  
Black Cow, 7 yrs. old, calf by side  
Red Cow, 3 yrs. old, calf by side  
Red Cow, 3 yrs. old, heavy springer  
2 Black Cows, 5 yrs. old, heavy springer  
Black Cow, 4 yrs. old, heavy springer  
Black Cow, 6 yrs. old, heavy springer  
Black Cow, 3 yrs. old, springer  
8 Black Cows, 2 yrs. old, heavy springers  
2 Black Cows, 8 yrs. old, calves in summer  
6 Black Cows, 2 yrs. old, calves in summer  
Black Cow, 3 yrs. old, calves in summer  
Black Cow, 5 yrs. old, calves in summer

**HEIFERS**  
Black Heifer, 1 1/2 yrs. old, open  
2 Black Whiteface Heifers, 1 1/2 yrs. old, open  
5 Black & Black Whiteface Heifers, 1 yr. old, open  
3 Roan Heifers, 1 yr. old, open  
5 Hereford Heifers; 1 yr. old, open  
4 Charolais Heifers, 8 mos. to 1 yr. old  
10 Black, Black Whiteface & Roan Heifers, 8 mos. to 1 yr. old

**STEERS**  
6 Black Steers, 8 mos. old  
3 Black Whiteface Steers, 8 mos. to 1 yr. old

**MACHINERY**  
J.D. "4020" Diesel Tractor w-cab, new short assembly black motor, A-1 shape, the best used tractor you'll have opportunity to buy.  
IH "300" Utility Tractor, good condition  
IH "350" Utility Tractor w-torque, fair shape  
IH 3-14 Plow, fast hitch, good  
IH 3-14 Plow, spring type, fast hitch, good  
IH 7 ft. Mower, fast hitch, good  
N.H. "273" Baler, like new  
N.H. Side Delivery Rake, good  
IH 8' Tandem Disc, pull type  
J.D. 10' Straight Disc  
Pop-Up Bale Loader, fair shape  
Ford Pull Type Combine w-motor (old)  
Rubber tired Wagon, 5 ton, w-grain bed, good

**TRUCKS — CAR**  
1965 Ford Truck, Model 600, w-16 flat bed, good  
1955 Chevrolet ton Truck, dual wheels, motor & rear tires, new good shape  
1960 Ford 4 door sedan, 6 cyl., good tires, good shape

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS**  
(Belonging to the late Ruby Dexheimer)  
Antique Oak Bed (over 100 yrs. old)  
Antique Oak Dresser (over 100 yrs. old)  
2 Washstands  
Marble top sink  
Antique Ice Box, good  
2 Camel Back Trunks  
2 Large Trunks  
Several Kerosene & Aladdin Lamps  
Kelvinator Refrigerator  
Bedding — Table Cloth  
Tappan Gas Range, good  
2 pc. Bedroom Living Room Suite  
2 pc. Bedroom Suite (vanity dresser) complete  
Bed & Springs  
2 Hasspicks, 2 Stand Tables  
Telephone Table  
Kitchen Table  
Several Odd Chairs  
Buffet, Platform Rocker  
Portable Singer Sewing Machine  
Lg. Square Mirror  
Several Round mirrors  
Lg. Fan  
Several Small Fans  
Floor & Table Lamps  
Base Cabinet  
Heating Stove (Oil)  
Camp Stove  
Maytag Wringer Washer  
Rollaway Tubs  
Lot of Dishes  
Some Antique Dishes  
Some Old Dishes  
Cooking Utensils  
2 Lg. Stone Jars, Crocks  
Kraut Cutter  
Sausage Mill, Paper Rack  
Fruit Jars, Several Baskets, Silverware  
Other small Articles

Terms: Cash. Nothing removed until settled for.  
Not responsible for accidents.  
**WALTER R. DEXHEIMER**  
Olen E. Downs & Matt Dillon, Aucts. Lunch

## GREAT BUYS AT THE GREAT BUY SIGN!

**1973 BUICK LeSABRE**, 2 Dr. Hardtop. Full power, air, vinyl roof. Low, verified miles. One owner. This is a beautiful car.

**1972 GMC SPRINT PICKUP**, full power, vinyl roof. Chrome wheels. Wide oval raised letter tires. Verified miles.

**1971 CHEVROLET MONTE CARLO**. Full power, air, vinyl roof. Red with White trim. Verified miles.

**1968 FORD STEPSIDE PICKUP**. Long box, 3-speed, V-8. True mileage unknown. Runs good. Priced for quick sale.

**1966 CHEVROLET IMPALA**, 4 Dr. automatic, 283, V-8, power brakes. This car is original. Verified low miles. Must see to appreciate.

## PAT O'CONNOR

**Chevrolet-Buick-GMC**  
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## AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction the items listed below as we must vacate the area where they have been stored. Directions to sale: From Sedalia, go south on Hwy. 65 2 miles past Flat Creek Inn, on right side of road. Sale at Art's Auto, Air & Home.  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 26, at 1:00 P.M.**

1931 Model A Coupe (all parts with it runs good)  
1969 Honda Mini Trail 49 CC Bike  
1974 Honda M. R. 50 Trail Bike  
Shriner, mini bike (just overhauled)  
Sun Model 900 engine, analyzer with scope (excellent condition)  
2 — 327 Chevrolet blocks  
Chevrolet intakes for 2 & 4 barrels  
4 Rolls new chain link fence 5 foot  
20 Steel posts 7 foot  
Nuts & bolts  
Fiberglass shower enclosure  
Marble top sink  
5 New wood casement windows  
14,000 B.T.U. 220 Air Conditioner (works good)  
3 Window air conditioners (need repair)  
Dishes, pots, pans, toys  
Vacuum sweeper, Riding mower (needs repair)  
2 yard lights  
Ford H.D. rear pick up bumper  
3 Motorcycle helmets  
2 — 2 foot fluorescent lights  
13 Wood storm windows  
2 — 26" bicycles (girls & boys)  
2 — 20" Bicycles (boys)  
Push lawn mower  
Small gas heater  
3" & 4" plastic pipe fittings  
Several 5 gal. gas cans  
Wright power saw, Rabbit hutch  
5 gal. & 2.2 gal. chicken waterers  
Nice 2 wheel utility trailer (good tires)

Portable air tank  
21" lawn mower  
8 foot overhead garage door.  
2 Battery operated fence chargers  
Large breaker box  
Gas suction transfer pump  
Electric stock tank heaters  
Electric branding iron  
Kerosene stock tank heater  
Metal shelf  
Lot fittings (all sizes)  
Almost new 16 x 934 Tractor tire  
Like new Western saddle & bridle (large size)  
Set of pony harness & collars for working team  
Shetland pony with saddle & bridle

**FURNITURE**  
Wicker divan, chair, desk  
R.C.A. Entertainment center (stereo, record player & T.V.)  
Tape recorder & P. A. system combination  
2 Refrigerators, Odd chairs  
Fireplace screen, Upright freezer  
Old copper boiler, flower stand  
Wire  
Other items too many to list

(AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: The money received from the sale of the pony, saddle and bridle will be donated to the Pettis County Diabetes Association.)  
Owner reserves the right to refuse final bid on 1931 Model A Coupe

Terms of Sale: Cash. Not Responsible for Accidents.  
**ART FISHER, Owner**  
John Irvin, Auct., Rt. 1, Otterville, Phone Collect 816-298-3401  
Clerk and Cashier Furnished

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**1974 LTD BROUGHAM 4-DOOR**  
V-8 autom., p-s, p-b, Fac. air, vinyl roof, 1-owner, local, 4,000 actual miles, like new.

**1974 PINTO WAGON**  
4 cylinder, automatic, radio and heater, air conditioned, 1-owner. Tip-top condition.

**1973 CHEVROLET IMPALA 4-DR. HARDTOP**  
V-8 autom., p-s, air cond., vinyl roof, 27,000 actual miles, A-1 condition. A beauty and ready to go.

**1972 GALAXIE 500 4-DR. SEDAN**  
V-8, autom., p-s, p-b, air cond., vinyl roof, 1-owner, local, low mileage.

**1972 MERCURY MARQUIS BROUGHAM**  
2-door hardtop, full power and air cond., vinyl roof, 1-owner, low miles. A real cream puff.

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# Guarantees available on homes

By JOHN CUNIFF  
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Guarantees, sometimes useless ones, often accompany \$5 purchases, but for the biggest purchase of all, a home, they have been nearly nonexistent. Now they are available.

Last August the National Association of Homebuilders enrolled the first new home sold under its program. Since then, 10,000 new homes have been registered under its Homeowners Warranty Program.

Sometime in July, the National Association of Realtors hopes to begin an insurance program on resale, or used, homes. Formal approval is anticipated at the annual meeting in Chicago May 5.

Since three times as many

used homes are bought and sold each year, the realtors' program could have a more pronounced effect on real estate markets which have been depressed by, among other things, extreme caution on the part of buyers.

Art Leitch, a San Diego realtor and current president of the national association, reports that "many local boards are standing by waiting for this and have been for several months." However, it is up to the individual realtors as to whether they will insist on such insurance accompanying a home they list.

The national association worked out the program with two large casualty insurers and one warranty company who, says Leitch, must remain anonymous until formal contracts are signed in May.

Under the program, the seller would pay one-half of 1 per cent of the selling price for an inspection and clearance by a trained engineer, and insurance for the first year on the home's major components.

Since the median price of a one-family home offered for resale in 1974 was \$33,000, the cost of the inspection-insurance program should range generally from about \$150 to \$200.

Components or segments included are plumbing, heating, air-conditioning, wiring, roof and walls, and the structural soundness of floors, ceilings and basements. All items would be covered on a \$100 deductible basis.

After the first year the owner can continue the program if he chooses, although it is still too early to determine at what

rate. As Leitch sees it, "Our feeling is that if the property is brought up to acceptable condition, we'd think the second-year rate would be lower."

The program is a voluntary one on the part of the realtors, of whom there are more than 110,000 in 50 state associations and 1,658 real estate boards. They may or may not choose to insist that the seller provide such protection.

Moreover, the program is expected to be available to all buyers and sellers, whether they negotiate the transaction

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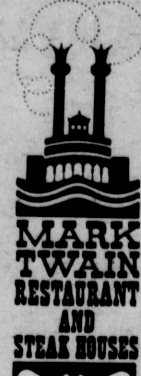
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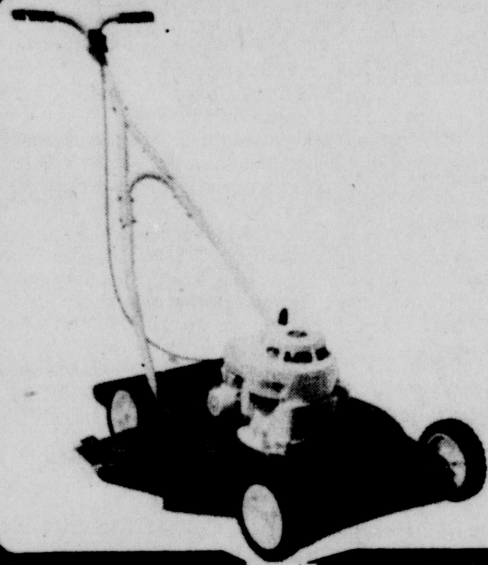
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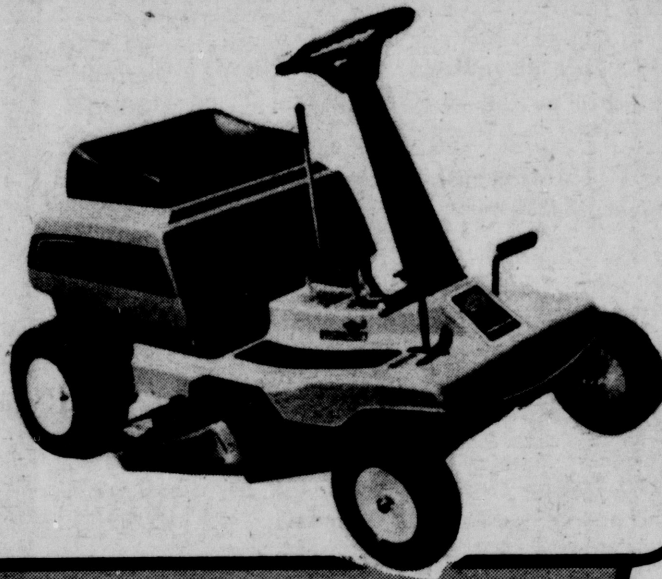
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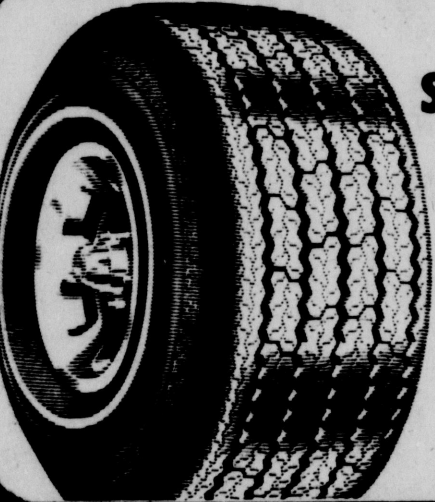
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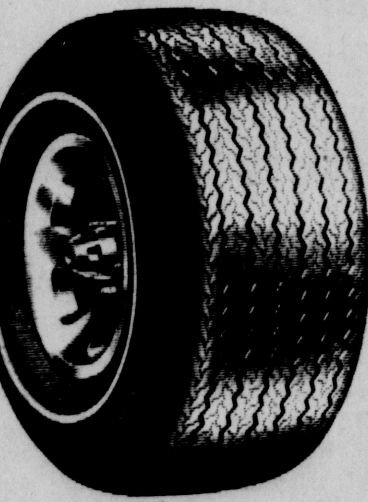
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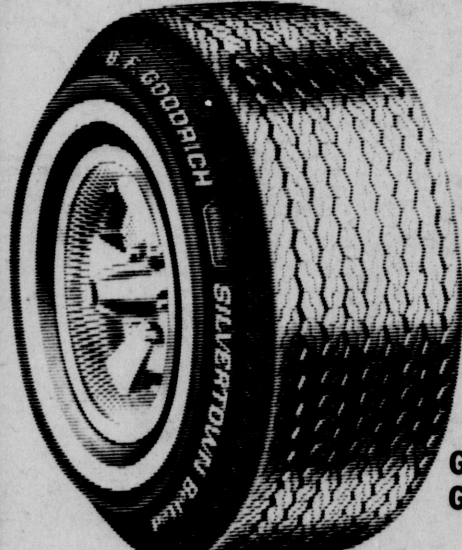
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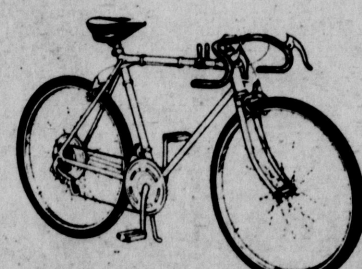
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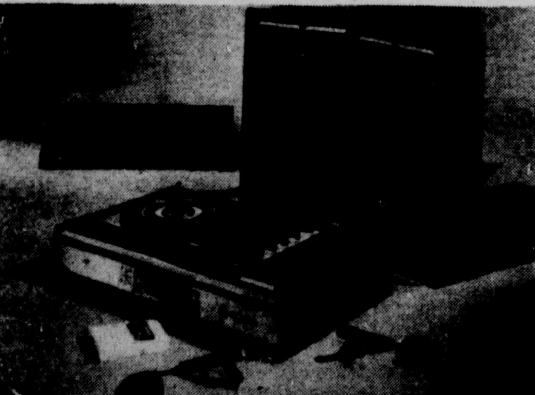
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